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If the coat fits, wear it -Suzy Menkes on winter wear with a swagger

# Police draw up code of ethics

maintain public confidence in the police is being drawn up, Sir Kenneth Newman, the Metropolitan Police Commissioner, has announced. His remarks came after the publication of a report which showed doubts among Londoners about the behaviour of police Page 3

### Optimism on economy

The London Business School has forecast sustained economic recovery with 2½ per cent growth in 1984 and 1985, falling unemployment and 6 per cent inflation. The latest CBI survey, however, is expected to be more cautious in its optimismPage 15

### Murder charge

Two men aged 33 and 31, are due to appear before magis-trates today charged with the murder of Mrs Adrienne Hill, a Bristol solicitor's wife.

### Computer link

A school in Bracknell, Berkshire, is opening a computer unit with links to databanks all over the world. It will be the direct international communications

### Phalange stand

Shaikh Pierre Gemayel, founder of Lebanon's Phalangist party, will insist at the Geneva talks that getting foreign troops out of the country must be the priority

### Solidarity call

With the amnesty for opponents of General Jaruzelski about to expire, the Solidarity underground called for protest demostrations November

### **Blood dispute**

Health unions are preventing the supply of free blood to a new private hospital in Glasgow because they fear the blood may be sold to patients

### Kaunda again

President Kaunda of Zambia has been sworm in for a fifth term in office. He received 93 per cent of votes cast in last

### TV film 'wrong'

British Nuclear Fuels has rejected claims of high levels of child cancer near its Windscale plant, to be made in a television programme tomorrow Child leukaemia, page 4

### Phone strikes

Industrial action against the privatization of British Telecom is to spread to Birmingham, Glasgow, Liverpool, Manche-ster and Swansea with engineers being called out on selective

### Clean sweep

British horses filled the first three places in the Prix Royal-Oak (French St Leger) at Longchamp, Old Country beating Band by a neck with Another Sam third

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West 'cannot just walk into other countries'

# Thatcher comes off the fence

The Government's stronger the Opposition and is shared by line on the American action some Conservative MPs. The full extent of the rift in Anglo-American relations over the invasion of Grenada was made publicly plain by the Government yesterday, when Mrs Margaret Thatcher de-clared that the West could not just march into other countries math of the Grenada invasion. dual key." when things happened in them
which they did not like and Sir
Geoffrey Howe, the Foreign
Secretary, said the United States
action could not be justified.
In what amounted to a of the American guarantee of Mrs Thatcher, who made joint US British control over the clear in the live phone-in

change of tone in the Govern-

ment's response to the invasion.

which it had been reluctant to

condemn outright last week, the

Prime Minister told an esti-mated audience of 25 million listeners on the BBC World Service: "If you are going to

pronounce a new law that wherever Communism reigns

against the will of the people ... the United States shall enter,

then we are going to have really terrible wars in the world." Mrs Thatcher said she was

delighted that the people of

Grenada were free and that the

people of the Eastern Caribbean

could sleep more soundly in their beds. But, she went on:

"Does that mean you are entitled to go into a whole list of

other countries? I think the

The Prime Minister was

speaking after the Foreign Secretary had confirmed that

the Government had com-

plained to the American

Government about the lack of

frankness over its invasion plans. The United States had not given Britain "an oppor-

tunity of consultation in those

last critical stages of the kind we

Sir Geoffrey said on London

Weekend Television's Weekend

World that the invasion was not

justified on the grounds of

danger to American citizens or of the Cuban-Soviet presence.

He said that Cubans or

Russians could be discovered in many other parts of the world

but if they were in those countries as a result of an invitation, however misguided,

of the governments concerned

that did not provide a justifi-

cation for invasion.

would have wished."

answer is 'no'."

even if the British Government 87 per cent of the electorate the Americans had been under favoured the dual key mechanno obligation to consult, and ism of control, a view which the other was about American

came on the eve of today's Mr Norman St John-Stevas, Commons debate on the deployment of cruise missiles and ter, said yesterday that the amid growing evidence of invasion "bad immensely amid growing evidence of invasion "bad immensely public mistrust, in the after- strengthened the lobby for the

firing of the missiles.

A MORI poll in *The Sunday*Times yesterday showed that of has caused in relations, said the more than 1,000 voters inter- situations regarding cruise and viewed 73 per cent thought the Grenada invasion were America would fire the missiles totally different.

even if the British Government One concerned an indepen-objected and a Harris poll for dent small island in the Weekend World indicated that American sphere, over which



The Prime Minister answering a question from a listener in the programme yesterday (Photograph: Bill Warhurst).

# US troops mop up as Grenada confronts uncertain future

From Trevor Fishlock, Bridgetown, Barbados

As American troops yester-day pushed into the hills and forests of Grenada in pursuit of the remnants of Cuban forces, being formed and the Grena-dian army disbanded.

The Islanders are hopeful from turnoil but they know the political difficulties are immense. Sir Paul Scoon, the Governor-General and resentative of the British Crown, made his first broad-cast to the island's 110,000 people since American forces and a Caribbean unit invaded

He said there would be an early return to full constitutional government. In the next few days he will appoint a representative body to govern the country and prepare for

He emphasized there would be no politicians in this interim nistration. Sir Paul, who was rescued from his official residence during the invasion, deplored the killing of Maurice Bishop, the former Prime Minister, and the takeover by the People's Revolutionary

These events, he said, had so hoirrified Grenadians, the Caribbean and other countries that "certain Caribbean states, with the support of the USA, decided to come to our aid in the restoration of order.

"Intervention by foreign troops is the last thing one would want for one's country. But, in our case, it has happened in deteriorating circonstances repagnant to the vast majority of the people of Grenada."

Sir Paul said the islanders welcomed the troops as a positive and decisive step. He thanked the Americans and other states for intervening and called on members of the People's Army to surrender their weapons "prior to the formal disbandment of the

General Hudson Austin, the revolutionary leader, was on the run and being hunted yesterday. He is tought to be in the jungle and there is a story that he has a woman hostage

Mr Bernard Coard, the former Deputy Prime Minister,

who helped to overthrow Mr Bishop, was captured in St George's the island's capital. He was hiding in a house with his wife, two children and Mr Selwyn Strachen, the former Information Minister and another ringleader in the toppling of Mr Bishop.

The leaders of the revolution are despised by many islanders and, significantly, a Grenadian told American Marines where Mr Coard was hiding and led them there. They surrounded the house, which had an armoured troop carrier parked outside, and called on those inside to surrender. There was no shooting and Mr Coard, his wife and Mr Strachan were taken into custody.

Grenadians show their contempt for the likes of Mr Coard by pinching their cheeks and saying they would like to tear General Austin and Mr Coard to pieces.

Leaders of Caribbean comtries are meeting in Bridgetown to assess developments in Grenada and consider who might be in the interim administration and how soon Continued on back page, col 3

over which there had been an agreement in writing between the two countries over many

Mr Michael Heseltine, the Secretary of State for Defence, will use the same argument in resisting the calls for the dual

key today. But Mrs Thatcher displayed no reticence in showing her disapproval of the American invasion, and made clear her reluctance to send in British troops as part of a security force. She said that Western countries did not use force "to walk into other people's coun-

"You have to be absolutely certain if you do that there is no choice, no other way." She hated Communism. There were many peoples who would love mean we can just walk into them an say: 'Now we are free'." She said the reason the Americans went in was regional security. Now everybody had to try to ensure that democracy was restored and hope earnestly that the people of Grenada, who had been given a second chance

for democracy, chose and sustained the democratic path. She made it clear that Britain would be sympathetic to calls for help "when the United States has cleared the island of the present resistance". It was important that all parts of the resistance were cleared up before a Commonwealth force

If there was to be a multinational force, Mrs Thatcher said, it must have clear terms of reference, a clear command structure and a time limit on the duration of its stay.

Perhaps Mrs Thatcher's most remarkable statement came when she was asked whether the Government would take action to prevent an invasion by America of Nicaragua. She said: "Sticking my neck out a long way, and my reputation, I do not believe the United States will invade Nicaragua."

The fact they had gone into Grenada did not make it any more likely that they would go into Nicaragua.

# Kirkpatrick accuses Europe

From Our Own Correspondent Washington

Mrs Jeane Kirkpatrick, the American representative at the UN yesterday accused European nations of being insensitive to Washington's security concerns and implicitly criticized Britain for its failure to support the invasion of Grena-da after the US had backed Britain during the Falklands

On a television programme, she said European nations were principally allied to the US on matters that concern the defence of Europe.

"They do not necessarily show very much sensitivity to US security concerns in other regions," she said, pointing out that the US did not necessarily approve their policies in other parts of the world.

Asked if she could explain why Britain failed to back the after it had supported Britain over the Falklands, she replied: "Frankly, I find that rather difficult to explain . . . "

She argued that Americans tended to have "a somewhat sentimental picture" of re-lations with their European

Most Americans accept President's judgment

# Reagan's tough line goes down well at home

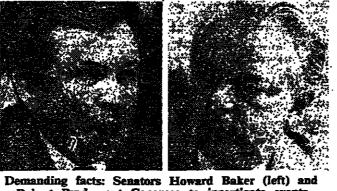
The success of the US-led invasion of Grenada – and particularly President Reagan's justification of it in his televised address on Thursday night - has gained the wide spread approval of the American public, with many people contrasting the resoluteness shown by Mr Reagan with former President Carter's indecisiveness during the Iranian hostage crisis. Despite international con-

demnation of the invasion, and the strong reservations voiced by many congressmen and the media the New York Times said yesterday the United States had acted like "a paranoid bully" a series of opinion polls published over the weekend show that the average American shares neither this sense of outrage nor of save American lives and pre-

vasion compared with 27 per provided in a straw poll carried against.

out by the ABC News Nightline A po





Robert Byrd want Congress to investigate events

from 52 per cent to 65 per cent and eight-to-one majority in favour of American intervention. vent the island becoming a number received on a call-in doubt.

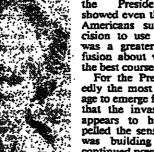
A poll carried out by The Soviet-Cuban military bastion.

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Washington Post-ABC News shows that 65 per cent of those less scientific, measure of questioned favoured the insupport for the President was of the attack and only 63,000

Support for the action rose programme, which recorded

phone calls - the greatest



Of a total of 565,000 tele-

A poll taken by The New

the President's broadcast showed even then a majority of Americans supported his decision to use force. But there was a greater degree of confusion about whether this was the best course of action.

For the President, undoubt-

edly the most important message to emerge from these polls is that the invasion of Grenada appears to have largely dis-pelled the sense of unease that was building up about the continued presence of American troops in Lebanon in the wake of last Sunday's bomb, which killed at least 230 US service-

Although popular support for the President over Lebanon is significantly lower than it is on Grenada, his cloquent explanation on Thursday night of why it was necessary to keep US Marines in Beirut raised public approval for his action overnight from 41 per cent to 52 per cent, according to The Washington Post-ABC poll.

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# toll may reach 1,000

coming from villages in Kars

province, further east.

Landslips blocked the rail-

way and several roads in the

area, preventing military and

reaching at least three villages.

The dispatch of relief aid was also affected, although Turkish

Red Crescent officials said

tents, blankets and other

airlifted to the area.

The martial law authorities

in the region have forbidden the

from entering their homes for 24 hours. They are having to

stay in the open in rain and

near freezing temperatures. Hospitals in the provincial centre of Erzurum were crowd-

The Chamber of Geology Engineers here pointed out that 92 per cent of the country's territory was on one of the most

active earthquake belts in the

world and called for compre-

bensive measures to avoid

frequent costly disasters. More

than 48,000 people have been

killed in Turkey in the past 60

years in earthquakes, mostly in

eastern and south-eastern

pulation in the disaster area

cy supplies had been

The death toll in the earthquake in eastern Turkey has risen to 495, Turkish television reported last night. There were 316 injured being treated in hospitals in the area.

The report said the authorities feared an even higher toll. Local officials suggested it could exceed 1,000.

The earthquake, measuring six on the Richter scale, struck at 4.15am GMT, catching most of the victims in their beds. Of the bodies recovered so far, most were in villages in

Erzurum province, some 550 miles from here, with others

ebadly damaged towns USSR Ottu Kars
Narman Sarikamis
Erzurum Horasan
Pasinier O Erzincan Muradiye Bingol 100 miles TURKEY

# Andropov's cold fuels speculation

From Richard Owen Moscow

The disclosure that Mr Yuri Andropov is suffering from a cold was intended to dampen speculation about the Soviet eader's health but it has had the opposite effect.

The front page of Pravda yesterday carried a message from Mr Andropov to a Moscow conference of world physicians for the prevention of nuclear war". In it he told the conference chairmen, Dr Evge-ny Chazov of Russia and Professor Bernard Lown of the United States, that he had followed the proceedings, "but regretfully a cold prevented me from meeting you personally in Moscow". He affirmed Mos-cow's dedication to peace. adding: "we are prepared for radical solutions, the ball is in the other side's court."

The admission that a leader is ill with a cold might seem unremarkable, if not trivial, in many systems, but in Russia references to the poor health of Kremlin leaders are extremely rare. Last week Dr Chazov, who is Mr Andropov's personal surgeon, said privately that the Soviet leader was "not seriously

Mr Andropov, who is 69, has not been seen in public for two-and-a-half months. He is diabetic and suffers from kidney and heart ailments. Speculation about his health was sparked off last week by the cancellation of his trip to Bu lgaria Informed sources said he had also been due to visit Georgia at the

Ther have been persistent rumours of a Warsaw Pact Summit in Moscow, but East European sources say it will not take place as long as Mr Andropov's health is uncertain.

Andropov's offer, page 10

# Kinnock team is centre right

By Our Political Reporter

Nearly all the top posts in Mr Neil Kinnock's Shadow Cabi-net, which will be announced formally today, are to go to figures on the centre-right of the Labour Party.

Mr Roy Hattersley, the party's deputy leader, is to take over as shadow chancellor from Mr. Peter Shoots who is to

Mr Peter Shore, who is to combine the posts of shadow trade and industry secretary and shadow leader of the Commons. Mr Gerald Kaufman is to become shadow home secretary and Mr Denis Healey will remain shadow foreign sec-

Mr John Smith is to take over as shadow employment secretary, an appointment which will be welcomed by senior union leaders who regard him as the ideal candidate to lead the fight against the Government's latest union

reform legislation.
Dr John Cunningham, elected to the Shadow Cabinet for the first time, receives the biggest promotion of all. He is to take over the post of environment spokesman, for-merly held by Mr Kaufman. Dr Cunningham, one of the

most impressive Commons performers in the parliamentary party, finished fifth in the Shadow Cabinet elections. Mr Kinnock has handled the

sensitive decision over the defence portfolio by leaving Mr John Silking in place. Mr Silkin was reelected to the Shadow Cabinet in seventh position despite being left of the left-wing Tribune "slate", and it is assumed that he received backing from centre-right MPs.

Mr Shore, who had been reluctant to give up his former post, presented Mr Kinnock with a delicate problem in his first allocation of senior portfolios.

Despite his poor result in the leadership contest, Mr Shore was generally seen as having fought an impressive campaign and confirmation that his standing among MPs had not diminished came with the shadow cabinet elections, in which he finished in third place. He was anxious not to take a new job which would be seen 25

a serious demotion and has clearly been satisfied By also securing the shadow held by Mr Silkin, he will have further entrenched his authority in the parliamentary party.



Dr John Cunningham: Biggest promotion

# Fashion in Time

The 150th Anniversary Exhibition of Jaeger-Le-Coultre

at Garrard, November 2nd - 12th, Tashien in Time is the ord, public viewing in the world of the Jaeger Le-Coultre 150th Anniversary Exhibition. On display will be a unique collection of waiches and clocks exhibited for the first time, together with today's superbergations, most of which will be available for This special exhibition models from the other



Hospital to

be refused

supply of

blood Health Service unions bave cut off supplies of blood to a they fear the blood may be sold

to patients or shipped abroad. The £10m Ross Hall Hospital in Glasgow, owned by Ameri-can Medical International, is

due to accept patients paying up to £190 a day om November 7. It is expected to need 30 pints of

blood a day from the Blood Transfusion Service.
But the health unions, backed

by the Transport and General

Workers Union, are preventing

shipment of blood to the 101-

bed hospital until the owners

sign a contract not to sell it to

patients or ship it to other

private hospitals in Britain or

ing that the administration cost of the blood should be re-covered from AML.

between the company and the

Common Services Agency, which administers and distri-bution of blood, was described by union officers as "totally

inadequate".

Mr Gordon Greig of
ASTMS, said: "This is the first

profit-making private hospital

in Scotland and we have no way

of monitoring what happens to

the blood".

He said the unions were

He said the unions were totally opposed to blood, which was supplied free, being subsequently sold to patients by private hospitals. Donors were continually seeking assurances that their blood would not be sold and the whole issue threatened the future of the Blood Transfusion Service.

Mr Greig accused the Common Services Agency of effecti-

mon Services Agency of effectively offering to subsidize Ross Hall by £1,000 a day by not insisting on a legally binding

It is understood that the CSA

is sympathetic to the union cause and no blood will be

supplied until the dispute is

Stuart Byron, denied that the hospital intended to sell blood

and said he would be prepared

to sign a contract to that effect.

But he objected to the CSA

imposing a charge for blood.

Last night the hospital began

to make alternative arrange ments for acquring blood.

Divorce to

be made

quicker

By Rupert Morris

to be announced soon are

expected to include provisions

for quicker divorces and fewer

long-standing financial commit-

The three main features of a

Bill, which may be introduced

A couple may qualify for

divorce one year after marriage.

A husband's financial obli-

gations will be directed mainly

towards his children, and the

wife will be expected, after a

Those who get divorced abroad

will be able to claim financial

The changes, outlined in Law

Commission reports, are under-

stood to have been widely

accepted, in spite of objections

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from certain religious groups.

help through the English courts.

period, to provide for herself.

instead of three years;

week, are:

Changes in the divorce laws

The director of Ross Hall. Mr

contract.

The unions are also demand-

"understanding"

# Phones strike spreads as Mercury appeals against blacking

Industrial action against the mally installed in business meet British Telecom board sale of British Telecom is to offices. It is not meant to members later today, when the spread to five cities today, in an disrupt services to the public, threatened dismissal of an effort to put increased pressure the union said.

Manchester, Swansea and Glas-

The escalation of the dispute comes after speculation that the British Telecom claims that its Telecom will dismiss all the flotation of 51 per cent of BT actions has had a minimal effect 2,000 or more union members may be postponed. A central on telecommunications in the involved in the dispute unless aim of the action was to make capital, says that management significant concessions are the sell-off less attractive to the will find it more difficult to made. Government and potential cope with the new stoppages.

backed the union's right to refuse to connect the new commercial system to the

The fresh disruption, with the exception of Glasgow, will affect the maintenance of the new PABX switchboards nor-

The union, conscious of

The switch in tactics also "British Telecom has trained a ence is unlikely and with comes on the day that Mercury, limited number of engineers to another 24-hour strike in

of an old telephone exchange Telecom groups, started its which is prone to technical £200,000 press campaign

# the private communications work on the new switchboards London planned this week by company, appeals against a so they will have difficulty the Union of Communication High Court decision which in getting other staff or Workers, the dispute is likely to backed the union's right to management to cope with the continue.

breakdowns". The British Telecommuni-The strike in Glasgow will cations Union Committee, seek to disrupt the maintenance which represents six British

rethink its privatization strategy if the Government is forced to postpone next year's planned stock market flotation of British Telecom, as appears increasingly possible.

British Telecom chairman, is understood to have told the Government that it might be better if the flotation, scheduled for next October, was postponed until 1985.

And while the Department of Trade and Industry repeated vesterday that October, 1984
was still the official target,
ministers and officials are
known to be worried that it may be impractical to complete the issue by then.

job subsidy

for regions

By Edward Townsend

in a document on regional

than the present system which

allocates much of the aid money

on a geographical basis, and

says they should be matched by the labour subsidy, which is intended to boost job creation.

want the notion of free ports to

he abolished. The Government

has agreed to experiment with

the idea and Prestwick, Bir-

mingham and Felixstowe are

among the sites into which

goods could be imported tax

free for assembly, packaging or

Government to tighten inward

investment controls so that

meoming companies go directly

been produced as a result of the Government's latest review of

regional policy and ministers

desire that aid for assisted areas

Is used more effectively.

Mr Norman Tebbit, the

Secretary of State for Trade and

industry, will present his own

paper to the meeting and he will call for the views of the TUC and the Confederation of

He believes that regional

policy must imporve industrial

competitiveness and reduce

disparities in job opportunities.

There are indications that the

old assisted areas "map" is out

In the 1970s about 500,000

jobs were created in the assisted

The discussion document has

The TUC is also urging the

storage before re-export.

to development areas.

British Industry.

Trade union leaders also

ment Council on Wednesday.

A new multi-million pound

estimated 39 union members The Post Office Engineering day that it would do its best to discussed. POEU leaders will Union, which has mainly maintain the service. Some assess the situation again concentrated on disrupting board members are sceptical tomorrow. The management communications in London, about the support for regional has threatened to dismiss the 39 has called on strike strategic action, but the union says that unless the union withdraws its staff in Birmingham, Liverpool, the initiative for further disrup- campaign of action at its tion came partly from outside reconvened annual conference

next Monday. It is likely that British

But any climbdown by the The union said yesterday: union executive or the confer-

£200,000 press campaign against the sell-off at the

## Privatization strategy

# Pressure grows to delay sale

The Treasury will have to complete what is likely to be a Conservative backbench MPs stormy passage through Parliament and receive Royal Assent until next July, leaving only three months at the height of the holiday season to finalize the complex preparations for the stock market's largest Sir George Jefferson, the

The planned sale of 51 per cent of BT's shares is expected to raise about £4,000m. Preliminary planning for the issue by two City merchant banks is will under way, but most of the key decisions that will affect its success or failure, such as the corporations capital structure key elements of its operating licence are a long way from being resolved.

The growing trade union The Telecommunications campaign against its privatiza-Bill is not now expected to tion and the misgivings of some

about the Government's approach are adding to the

Mr Kenneth Baker, the Minister for Information Technology at the Department of Trade and Industry, who is responsible for the day-to-day handling of the issue, has acknowledged that the existing deadline is tight.

The department said last night: "The Government is continuing with its intention to go for a sale in 1984. We have not been given any indication that this is an impossible target

The Treasury is expected to press strongly for completion on schedule because the proceeds are seen as a key element in the Chancellor's strategy

# TUC wants | Pit ballots sought as overtime ban begins

this week increase pressure on their executive to hold pit-head labour subsidy and the scrap- ballots on the national overtime ping of "discredited" enterprise ban began early today.

Zones are proposed by the TUC

The right-wine Midt

The right-wing Midland area council of the National Union policy to be presented to the National Economic Developdemanding that the ban be put The TUC wants all capital to the volw. The union's subsidies to be selective, rather executive is not due to reassess the action until November 10.

> The overtime ban in protest at the National Coal Board's first and "final" pay offer of 5.2 per cent was unaminously agreed by a delegate conference

> in London days ago. Mr lan MacGregor, the coalboard chairman is keen on a pit-head ballot because he expects a vote against the ban. But under NUM rules, only a

national strike would require a referendum, and there would have to be a 55 per cent majority to initiate action.

**NUT** refuses to

ioin committee

Schools' Council.

on 01-491 7979.

# Mr MacGregor believes that the 50 million tonnes of coal Moderate miners' leaders will

stockpiled at pits and power stations will prove an effective argument against militancy.

Mr Arthur Scargill, the NUM president, contends that a pay rise of 23 per cent is necessary to bring pit men's earnings back to their level after the 1974 strike,

Union strategists also believe that militancy will increase if they can delay a ballot. They predict that the NCB will announce further mine closures in the coming weeks.

The coal board pointed out that in the only ballot so far conducted, at Rufford Colliery near Mansfield, 65 per cent of miners agreed to accept the

But a substantial majority voted for the overtime ban on the grounds that it would deter

# Union Bill an abuse of democracy, Basnett says

on curriculum The National Union of Teachers has refused to join the new school Curriculum Development Committee set up by David Basnett, general secretary of the General, Municipal, Boilermakers and Allied Trades the Government to replace the

Britain's biggest teachers Union, said on Saturday. union says that unlike the schools' Council, the new regional council in Birmingorganization will not be truly ham, that the Government was independent the union claims handing over free trade unions teachers will no longer be to bureaucrats. democratically represented. All members will be appointed by

lation is quite clear. At a time official strikes. The Secretary of State for Education. The Department of Education said yesterday that most of the 20 members of the come forward with another on which democracy is found-organization would be teachers. phase in the assault on the ed.

every day to the SA

The Government's new trade rights and protection of working union Bill is a recipe for people.

"Dressed up in democration an abuse of democracy, Mr camouflage, it is, in fact, the David Basnett, general secretary very negation of democracy. It is an attempt to limit even further the right to withdraw labour in this country. It Mr Basnett told his union's represents an attempt at state regulation of independent trade unions. It is an attempt to bankrupt the main opposition

when the living standards, job Mr Basnett added: "It is an security and social wellbeing of abuse of democracy for an Mr Basnett added: "It is an working people is under severe elected government to use the attack by this Government, they kegal system to attack the basis

may be revived He said the Bill would lead to Religious Affairs Correspondent "The purpose of the legis- more frequent and longer



Old timer: Mr Brian Moore and his wife Ruth will be on the road in next Sunday's London to Brighton rally in the oldest privately-owned car ever to enter - an 1891 Panhard et Levassor. It is steered by tiller, ignition is by Bunsen burner and top speed is 11 mph.

account of the political maturity

and independence of western

Europe that had grown not just

with prosperity but in particular

with the polictical self-confidence of West Germany.

act of political masochism" to

embark again on the pursuit of

a specifically European defence

force, which would be doomed

to fail. But they should not ignore the slow but steady

progress made in developing a

Dr Owen: 'Confidence has

Britain does not need the strike

power of a Trident force

It notes that a single Polaris

targets, whereas a Trideat sumbmarine could threaten as

Part of the increase in strike

power arises from the fact that

on Trident the multiple war-heads - multiple independently

from a single missile can all be

Alternatives to Trident by David

targetable reentry vehicles

guided on to separate targets.

many as 224.

abmarine threatens only 16

European security identity.

Dr Owen said it would be "an

# identity for Europe

Britain 'does not need

Trident strike power'

By Rodney Cowton, Defence Correspondent

10 possible alternative options. larger submarines carrying the

to the Trident submarine laund D5 Trident missile in the ched missile system for the 1990s.

modernization of the British But the report says that

There are said to be at least will be replaced by four much

Dr David Owen yesterday pean desence. Nor did it take called for the development of a firm European identity within Nato, covering conventional and nuclear defence and disarmament

The Social Democratic Party leader said it was no longer credible to argue that such a development would weaken the American commitment or create strains within Nato. The nature, if not the content, of the American commitment had been changing and the strains existed already, he said. Dr Owen, who was delivering the Gulbenkian Foundation

lecture in Lisbon, said: "One does not have to succumb to the current anti-American and predominant anti-Reagan European mood to conclude sadly that the post-war absolute European confidence in the United States has gone. Many Europeans totally convinced of Nato's value now openly ex-press their anxiety about United. States decision-making."

He said that the automatic American political dominance of the Nato forum, justifiable in the aftermath of the Second World War, was no longer underpinned by the weight of its contribution to collective Euro-

independent nuclear deterrent

and the capital cost of some of

them could be £6,000m less

These are among the con-clusions of a study prepared for

the Aberdeen University Centre for Defence Studies, pub-

It bases its financial com-

parisons on the assumption

that at present values Trident is likely to cost about £9,000m,

compared with the £7,500m

which is the Ministry of

It is intended that four Polaris-carrying submarines

Old communion

service

By Clifford Longley,

The Church of England is

likely to reintroduce one of its old services to meet the need of

those who dislike the modern

language of the new Alternative

It is understood that this is to

be recommended to the General

Synod by the House of Bishops,

the language of new services.

service, known as Series I, may

be revived. The Series I Service

Common Prayer service of

1662. But that service is thought

to have an excessively "heavy"

atmosphere which has discour-

The Prayer Book Society has

repeatedly complained that the

old service was being driven out

by the new and the decision of

the House of Bishops to revive

Series I is intended as a counter

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than the cost of Trident.

lished today.

From Ronald Faux Sheffield

Police protection has been tinned yesterday.

The man wanted for questioning in connexion with a triple murder in Sheffield last week The police have described him as very danger-ous, a karate black belt who should not be approached by the public.

A South Yorkshire police spokeman said yesterday that several people who Mr Hutchinson, aged 42, might wish to contact were being guarded "round the clock".

Among them is Miss Nicki Laitner, aged 18, the only survivor when an intrader broke into her family's home during the early hours of last Monday, Mr Basil Laitner, his wife Ayril and their son Richard were stabbed to death.

Hutchinson, sought by police since he escaped from Selby police station a month ago, spent two days last week at a guest house in Worksop, away from the Laitner bome. While he was there he kept fit by jogging.

Hutchinson arrived at the guest house less than six hours after the bodies of the Laitners had been discovered and left the following Wednesday.

They believe that he suffered possibly severe injury to his guest house.

Hobbs (Centre for Defence Studies, Edward Wright Building, Dumbar Street, Aberdeen; £5. (the Press Association reports).

# wanted man

extended to several people throughout Britain as the search for Arthur Hutchinson con-

It is now known that Mr

The police said that Mr

right leg in his escape from Selby police station. He left bloodstained bandages in the When he was last seen he was

wearing a dark blue velvet jacket, light blue shirt, blue tie and grey trousers. He also had a turquoise track suit, blue-grey running shoes and a check shirt.

 South Yorkshire's Assistant Chief Constable, Mr Bob Goslin, said yesterday that Mr Eddie McGee, the survival expert who helped track down the polce killer Barry Prudom, and who knows Mr Hutchin-son, had offered his services

Sale room

# £44,000 for dining table

collector in a Christie's sale on

who have been sensitive to the continuing agitation of bodies like the Prayer Book Society and the unabated criticism of Non adaptation of the Book proportioned and nicely carved. formed as Gothic columns. of Common Prayer communion Secondly, it is an unusual and documented type. Robert Jupe Chippendale-style took out a patent for an mahogany armchairs, dated to expanding circular dining table around 1765, were sold for lapsed with the introduction of the Alternative Service Book in in 1835 and this is a Jupe-type \$55,000 (estimate \$25,000 to table. It has two tiers of 30,000) or £35,940 to a private 1980. It was argued that those who wanted a traditional form concentric extra leaves and was collector. could use the full Book of

unsold. It would be the first time that In both sales, eighteenth a form of service which had ceased to be authorized was

A Victorian mahogany dining nineteenth century develop-table was sold for \$66,000 or ment, it had its roots in £44,000 (estimate \$30,000 to eighteenth century romanticism \$40,000) to a New York private Christie's had a pair of Christie's had a pair of George III mahogany "Gothic" Saturday. The price is a huge card tables dating from the late

sold with a contemporary

them when not in use. while there were some very high prices, the bidding was selective. The Christie's sale made £934,413 with 23 per cent unsold; Sotheby's made. £670,209 with 15 per cent

century furniture in "Gothic" tasse attracted unlooked-for interest. While full-blown imitation of the Gothic style was a

one as the period is still mainly eighteenth century which sold treated by furniture collectors for \$44,000 or £29,333 (estimate with a disdainful smile:

\$20,000 to 28 000 to The table, however, has two mian collector. They have special qualities. First it is the elegant rosewood D-shaped tops most comfortable type of dining which might be found on nice table, circular with a single neo-classical pieces, but these pedestal support and no legs are supported by a frieze of to bump knees against Gothic arches, as found in a The pedestal support is well-cathedral, and the legs are

In Southeby's sale, a pair of The only significant failure in

mahogany cabinet made to hold the Christie's sale was a pair of fine Anglo-Indian ivory open Both Christie's and Sotheby's armchairs of the late eighteenth held sales of English furniture in century which previously be-New York on Saturday and longed to Lord Astor of Hever. They had been estimated to fetch \$60,000 to 80,000 but no buyer was forthcoming.

Autoria Sch. 28; Beigium B fra 50; Osmada 52,78; Catarias Pes 150; Cyprus 560 mfts; Denmark Dir 7,50; Friband Mik 8,00; France Fra 7,00; Germany OM 5,50; Greenelle G. 10; Holand G. 5,25; Fish Greenelle G. 10; Holand G. 5,25; Fish Norway E. 15; Molecce Dr. 8,00; Norway E. 7,50; Services Res 12; Portugal Ext. 225; Singales autoria Res 12; Portugal Ext. 225; Singales autoria Res 12; Portugal Ext. 225; Singales autoria Pes 15; Portugal



The SDP and the Liberals have reached agreement on the wording of a reasoned smendment which will enable them to vote together at the end of today's House of Commons debate on cruise missiles. This
may be regarded as smart
politics or an example of what
Dr Owen has been accustomed to describe as "fudge and mudge" - or possibly both.

It is certainly a political advantage that Alliance MPs

advantage that Alliance MPS are not now expected to be marching into different lobbies on such a critical issue. If that had happened, as seemed likely only a few days ago, the Alliance would have been exposed to ridicule. As bad as Labour, it would have been said. But the form of words on which the SDP and Liberal MPs have settled represents nothing more than a superficial

Should craise missiles be deployed in this country or not? The amendment does not say. It declares that Nato should continue to negotiate at Genera without weakening its bar-gaining position"; a new initiative from the United States in the Intermediate Range Nuclear Forces talks; and urges the British Government to negotiate for a duel key system for any cruise missiles based in this country.

Alliance has managed to come together only by ducking the

Serious difference on defence:

ositions provides any reason for the Afliance failing to take a position on the basic question of deploymnent. Dr Own told the SDP conference at Salford last month that if the party "made a decision to reject cruise missiles parely and simply on the issue of the duci key . . . the electorate would see it as a cynical way of treating one of the most crucial defence decisions that has faced this country for many years".

for delaying a decision, unless Dr Owen is prepared to eat his words with quite remarkable

Nor is there any develop-ment that could take place at less there was to be a zero option agreement. Any other agreement would permit the siting of some cruise missiles in Britain. The Alliance does not. reasonably enough, have the slightest confidence in the possibility of a zero option agreement in the near future. So what justification can there be for delaying a decision?

Apart from narrow political calculation, that is. For some time it has been evident that Dr Owea has been preparing the SDP to accept cruise missiles, while Mr Steel has been preparing the Liberals to reject

It reflects a wider and more serious difference between the two parties on defence. They are agreed in opposing Trideut. But the approach of the Social Democrats is generally more robust, while within the Liberal Party there is an undertow of unilateralist sentiment.

Even on Trident there may be disagreements ahead, be-cause in his speech to the Liberals at Harrogate Dr Owen implied that by the time the next government takes office in about 1987 so much money may already have been spent on the programme that it might make no sense to cancel it.

Public facade of unity

So long as serious differences on defence remain between the Social Democratis and the Liberals, it will be impossible for either leader to take a forthright line without being accused of splitting the Alliance. It therefore becomes necessary to preserve a public facade of unity by devising forms of words which do not express what either side really thinks.

The thimness of this facade is likely to become apparent soon enough, as different Alliance MPs begin to interpret their amendment today in different ways. No doubt it will be said that this sort of manoeuvre is necesary in politics. But one of the reasons why the founders of the SDP left the Labour Party was that they were not prepared to accept that it was necessary on major issues

During the general election campaign the Alliance was property scathing about Labour's confusion on defence, presenting it as a party that could not safely be entrusted with the nation's security. Alliance leaders will not be able to make much play with this issue in future unless they CRI agree on more than the need to delay exposing their

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# Newman's code of ethics to cement contract between police and public

26,700 police officers, Sir with in court or by the Kenneth Newman, the Metropolitan Police Commissioner, code. said vesterday. It would be a 'key to success" in making the contract between police and public work effectively. Sir Kenneth said: "It would

be an invaluable asset in helping to maintain public ce in the police service. element in the success of any partnership."

leaking of a confidential report, commissioned by the Metro-politan Police and completed in cause for serious concern about many police practices and that about half of the people in London had serious doubts about police conduct.

Sir Kenneth told the Association of Jewish ex-Service Men and Women that if crime was to be reduced and the quality of life improved, police and citizens must both improve

In so far as the Metropolitan Police is concerned, we must Acted with honesty and integ-honour the conditions on which rity towards fellow citizens the public consents to be

Although many package tour companies are offering more

foreign holidays for next sum-

mer, a dearth of bargain offers late in the booking season is

This is because the growing

price war is squeezing the tour

operators' profit margins and

will force them to cut back

earlier than usual on the

holidays on offer according to

days, as it is described within

the trade, took its toll on cut-

director of Global Holidays,

one of the top six tour operators

and a subsidiary of the GUS

group, said: "Consolidation on the pattern of this summer is

inevitable next year. This is despite the fact that most of us

expect the market to grow further again, probably by at

Mr Barrett is urging the travel trade to tackle the problem in

several possible ways. One suggestion is that holiday

companies should offer a "book

early" range running alongside an alternative late booking

system. Although the late booking offers would be com-

paratively restricted they could offer a better standard of choice

than occurs after large-scale

form of voluntary control over the number of holidays on offer

to achieve a better balance

against expected demand.

Another option would be a

least 5 per cent.

consolidations.

This consolidation of holi-

Mr Roger Corkhill, managing

travel industry leaders.

price offers this summer.

being forecast.

Price war threatens

late holiday bargains

By Derek Harris, Commercial HOW LATE 1,500,000

A code of professional ethics policed. A breach of these is being drawn up for London's conditions can usually be dealt

"Police officers must resert the conditions as a code of professional ethics. Securing citizens' rights has to be a central objective of the police operation, as important as the objectives of detecting crime." Sir Kenneth said that the Confidence is an essential most important of those conditions were that a police

His comments came after the Was fair and impartial to all aking of a confidential report, people, whatever social position, race or creed.

Had a compassionate respect for the dignity of the individual and behaved to all with courtesy, self-control, human understanding and tolerance. Never used more force than necessary to accomplish a legimate purpose.

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sensitivity.

Sir Kenneth said the public shared with the police the responsibility for promoting an orderly and peaceful society. That required active cooperupholding and respecting their authority when it was properly exercised; care of property, and promotion of crime prevention

"There is evidence that police officers sometimes fail to honour the conditions upor which public consent depends. It strikes at the core of police

"On the public side there are grounds for dissatis-

There was a growing "nega-tive attitude" towards policing, with some people determined to erode the partnership between the public and the police "as a means of creating tension and instability within society", Sir Kenneth said.

The evidence suggests that if you are young and black and live in the inner city, the ties in the law and order contract with police officers are likely to be attheir most tenuous,

# Attack on farmers'

Large expanses of Britain's countryside are being ploughed up in defiance of conservation provisions in the Wildlife and Countryside Act, it was claimed

Mr Robin Grove-White,

Mr Andrew Barrett, group In the past 12 months the marketing director at Thomas North York Moors National Cook blames over-optimism by Park Authority has objected to tour operators and fierce fight- seven farm schemes and offered ing for market shares which led management agreements for to excessive numbers of holi-days being ordered. As the number of holidays left on the carried out their operations

tened by rapid conversion to cereal farming which has seen panies would not - or could not protected area decline by 32 per cent since 1970, and in the Middle Waveney and Deben valleys by 20 per cent and 12

# ploughing

By Rupert Morris

creating new pressures on the

director of the Council for the Protection of Rural England and Miss Fiona Reynolds, secretary of the Council for National Parks, yesterday gave three examples of how farmers get round the act.

shelf grew, holidaymakers were regardless.

encouraged to book progressively later. He added: "In summer 1983, profit margins had already been pare prices any more and cut their losses with unprecedented remained at their original price or were "repackaged" to suit the four oversion cost £750,000.

yesterday. Conservationists argue that the generous compensation arrangements for farmers contained in the 1981 Act are

Suffolk grasslands are threa

tour operator.
Since 1979, the number of In the third example given. holidaymakers booking package companies are being launched tour holidays after April 30 each to convert marginal lands to Research by Thomas Cook, year has more than doubled arable production, taking adthe travel agency chain which is late bookings for the past also a tour operator, shows how a pattern of late bookings has cent compared with 1982.

# TV-am is 'on target to raise £4.5m'

The refunding of TV-am, the breakfast television station which now has a head audience of more than a million, is proceeding on target to raise £4.5m in the next fortnight, the

station said yesterday.

That was in spite of what the station called a deliberate attempt on Friday by a prospective shareholder trying to jump the queue to invest to undermine confidence in its future.

Reveue next month is ex-pected to exceed £1m, the first time running costs will have been met by income. October advertising was fully sold, bringing in £85,000. Existing shareholders have

By Kenneth Gosling invested an extra £1.7m as part of the new package and Mr Timothy Aitken, chief executive of TV-am, said that meant there

was time to ensure an appropriate balance of new shareholders. Roland Rat, the puppet that lifted TV-am's ratings during between them to cover the costs the summer, was the object of of Channel 4 next year, it was confusion over a hotel bill for more than £1,000. Roland and the nine-man

Rat on the Road crew ran up the bill at a Yorkshire hotel and the account was sent to Roland's creator, David Cla-

ridge.

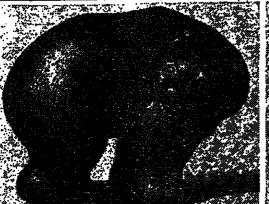
He sent it to the station's finance department which re-

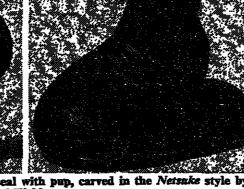
The station said yesterday that there was some internal confusion but the bill would be

paid by the company. • The 15 independent television companies will have to pay an additional £20m between them to cover the costs

confirmed yesterday.

Their subscriptions have to include repayments on the loan taken out by the Independent Broadcasting Authority in 1982 to launch Channel 4, about £50m out of a total cost of £89m. This year's Channel 4 bill was £123m, plus £5m interest. The capital and interest has to be repaid over five years.





Tiny treasures: A grizzly bear (left) and seal with pup, carved in the Netsuke style by Michael Webb.

### Carving a reputation for brilliance By Geraldine Norman

carves wooden miniatures of animals, reptiles and insects. following directly in the tradition of eighteenth century Japanese Netsuke carvers. He is virtually the only full-time, professional Netsuke carver outside Japan, though many amateurs and pro-fessional jewellers try their

In an old farmhous

An exhibition of Webb's brilliant little carrings is moving from the Ashmolean Museum in Oxford to open at the Eskenary Gallery in Picta-dilly, London on Wednesday.

Webb was a director Sotheby's and head of furniture department antil 1976 when he retired to Yorkshire to carve full time. He had given Sotheby's his expert know-Sothebys us expert anow-ledge, plus the advantage of an artist's eye that knew instinc-tively both the aesthetic and commercial value of a piece.

In the late 1950s and early 1960s, he became auctioneer for Japanese art sales, at the time a small and unconsidered byway of Sotheby's business.

Webb began to collect, particularly metalwork and porcelain. He bought for small ns a collection which would

now be considered "highly important" and he became fascinated with the Japanese

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pare time and later turned to Netsuke carving He now carves about twenty

pieces a year, mainly on commission, and sells them for between £906-£1,800. The work in the Eskenazy exhi-bition has been lent by collectors in the United States, the Far East and Europe. Seven years of quiet carving in his Yorkshire retreat has made him one of the world leaders in his chosen art form.

# 33 children evicted from council home

By Alan Hamilton Doors were spinstered from their locks and wrenched from their hinges. Windows were shattered, and a room that had once been an adolescent boy's only home was stripped bare, leaving only a tattered horror comic, an odd forlorn sock and the smashed innards of a the floor.

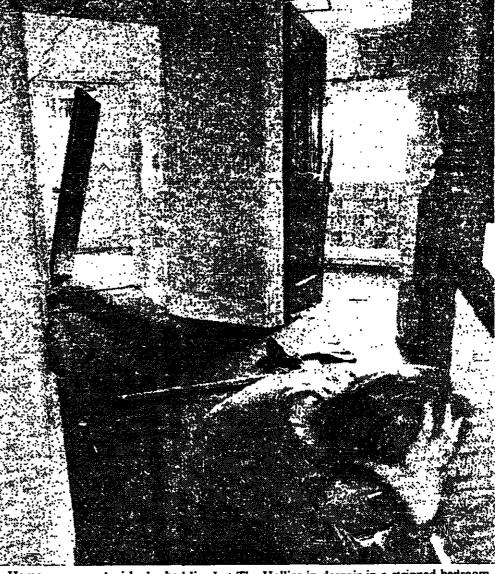
lived at the The Hollies, a London Borough of Southwark children's home set in leafy parkland in Sidcap, Kent. This large Victorian institution that once housed more than 200 was due to be closed within five years, but it shut suddenly last Thursday night in a scene that more properly belonged in a Dickensian workhouse.

Like the children to whom it was home, The Hollies has ne a casualty of the longrunning dispute over pay and hours between the social workers who staff the homes and their local authority While social workers have

been refusing to stay on duty at night and at weekends, Southwark has been sending senior non-union staff and outside social workers to supervise the children between 6.30 in the evening and 7.15 the next morning. They were given a cooked meal before the regular staff left and were given pocket money to go out for the evening. But last Wednesday the

children revolted, and barricaded their doors against the night staff who had come to keep an eye on them. The next night the children were sitting watching television when a number of social workers arrived and ordered them all out. They were being taken, they said, to other es. There was not time to grab even a toothbrush.

olice arrived. Twenty of the children were taken briefly to Bexleyheath police station; thirteen melted into the night, mostly to be found soon



Home no more: A girl who had lived at The Hollies in despair in a stripped bedroom yesterday. (Photograph John Voos).

afterwards; and five stayed

away until yesterday. The police searched the house, breaking down the locked doors of individual bedrooms, and later on Thursday night, council workers arrived to strip the place of its furniture and the children's returned to them in their new

The house presented dismal picture yesterday, as though ransacked by burglars. Three of the children had made their way back to look for cherished possessions and they wandered through the empty rooms in disbelief.

Charlie (not he real name), aged 16, had lived at The Hollies for eight years. He sought, and found his spectacles, but looked in vain for his schoolbooks, argently needed for an examination. I have had some of my stuff back, but they have lost my books", he

Frank (not his real name) one of the older boys at the home, admitted that he had taken part in the fighting.

One social worker at The Hollies, who is involved in the dispute but who refused to be named, said: "It was a disgraceful and unnecessary way to treat the children. There would have been no trouble if the council and the police had not arrived. We were quite able to cope with things here.

### Pupils set up computer link across the world

A new computer unit opens today at a school in Berkshire, which will enable pupils to get into the computer memory banks of the world.

The children at Garth Hill School, in Bracknell, are making history by opening the first direct international communi-cation link from Britain via

During today's opening cer-emony, a pupil will make the first connexion to the Video link Communication called Postel International between London and Stockholm. This marks the beginning of an international service available to all Prestel users.

Mr Peter Edwards, the county's education director, is to open the centre, which was built by staff and pupils and financed with money raised by parents, teachers and pupils. The centre cost £12,000 and is equipped with 16 BBC microcomputer stations also to be connected to Prestel and to a link giving it access to the international databanks.

Mr Stanley Goodchild, the head, said the centre would be used not only for O and A level computer science, but right across the curriculum. "It will available for computer assisted learning to help chil-dren of all abilities, especially culties and the high flyers."

 Longmans is publishing eight new programs for the Sinclair ZX Spectrum and the BBC microcomputer today, together with parents' The programs are for children aged four to eight and are designed for use by the child alone or with initial parent help.

The programs cover the learning of letters, practice in multiplication tables, number skills and problem-solving.

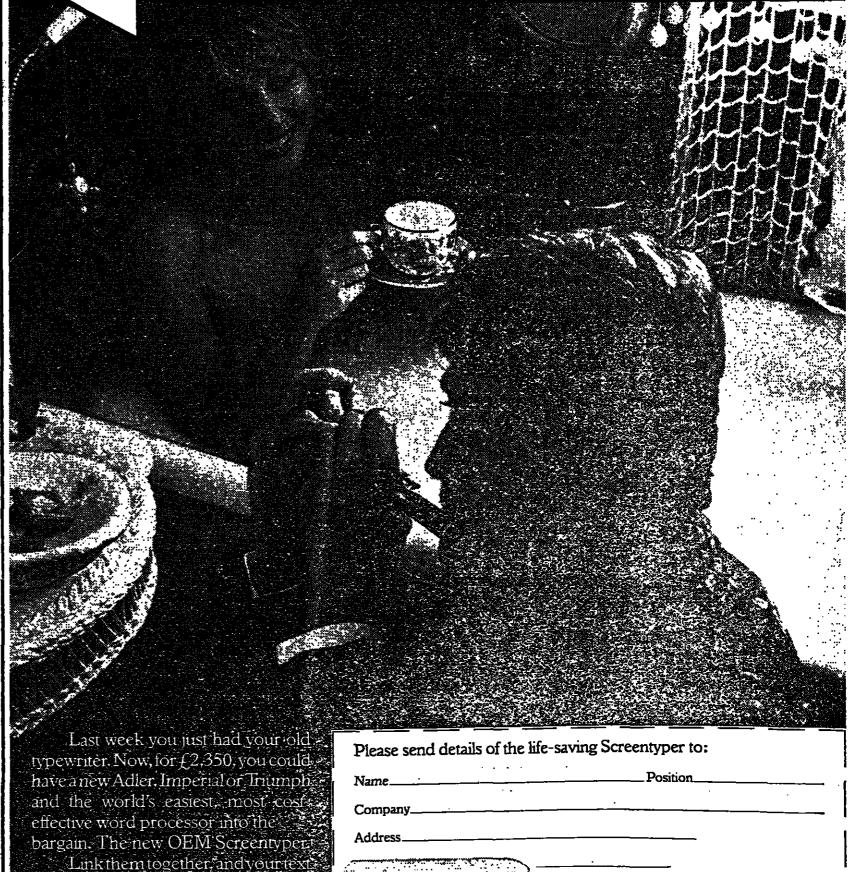
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# And to think I might still be bashing away at Mr Moody's document revisions."



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# Children near nuclear plant have high incidence of leukaemia

Allegations that the incidence times higher than the national average are contained in a member for more than 15 years varies. television documentary to be of committees on radiation shown tomorrow.

The most alarming disclosure is that the number of cases organizations and is one of the among children under 10 at most controversial specialists in Seascale, a village a mile south of Sellafield, is ten times the national average.

Waberthwaite and Bootle, the incidence of leukaemia was high. found to be five times higher than the average.

Levels of radioactive mat-erials on farmland in the area created in nuclear fuel in power

of Pittsburgh University.

safety advising the American Government and internaitonal this field.

He believes that the level of radioactive waste discharges When a larger area was which most experts recommend surveyed to include the parishes as safe for the public or for workers in nuclear plants is to

about the fact that radiation Plutonium and other radioac- causes cancer. The argument tive substances which are has two main elements. The present only in the waste from first is over the amount of some threshold below which no nuclear fuel have been found in different types of radioactive cancer effect is produced by household dust in the fishing waste material which should be village of Ravengalss, about six tolerated in the environment miles down the coast from from the handling of nuclear

are also said to be above the stations, such as plutonium natural levels of background americium, caesium ruthenium, radiation.

This evidence to be presented different types of radiation.

in Windscale - the Nuclear Some of those elements also cancer.

Laundry a Yorkshire Television accumulate in specific tissues of leukaemia among children in documentary, includes the re- such as the lung, thyroid, bone villages within a few miles of sult of analyses by Dr Philip marrow, liver and kidney and the Sellafield (formerly Win- Day of Manchester University form a concentrated source of dscale) nuclear fuel reprocessing and Professor Edward Radford radiation there. The degree of plant in Cumbria is several of Pittsburgh University. Professor Radford has been a radioactive elements therefore

> The problem is compounded because the alpha-radiation from a substance like plutonium makes it more likely to initiate a cancer than a different type of radiation from another

> Plutonium is regarded as the most poisonous of the substances because less than a millionth f a gram of plutonium is likely to be the source of a cancer of

The second part of the argument is whether there is cancer effect is produced by radiation. That idea would presuppose that some repair mechanism is available to the

However, there is no evi-dence for that supposition and therefore most safety policies assume the possibility of a "linear effect" between radiation dosage and the risk of

> primary section of the school to receive voluntary aided status was turned down last year by

Jews renew appeal on grant aid for school

Mr Robert Dunn, the new minister in charge of schools, today meets a lobby which has been battling for the past 15 support for a voluntary aided Orthodox Jewish school to be established in Stamford Hill, north London.

A member of the deputation will be Rabbi Abraham Pinter, assistant principal of Yesodey Hatorah School and a Labour member of Hackney Council, who says he does not see why the Jewish community should not receive similar aid for its schools as that given to Roman Catholic grant aided schools.

As it is, the practising orthodox Jewish community has set up its own private schools, such as the Yesodey Hatorah, which is run on little money and lacks proper buildings formerly a Roman Cath-olic home for unmarried mothers, which is overcrowded and has broken windows covered in corregated iron. the Orthodox

Yet the community, including the Chaisidic sects from Eastern Europe and Russia, chooses to send its burgeoning younger generation to such a school because it is run on strict lines. The sexes are segregated, with the girls receiving a different education from the boys, and half of every day is devoted to Hebrew studies. An application for the girls'

Sir Keith Joseph, then Sec-retary of State for Education, Yesodey Hatorah has ac-

Rabbi Abraham Pinter with pupils in the girls' primary section of the Yesodey Hatorah school (Photograph: John Voos).

on the grounds that Hackney already had too many places in primary schools and that an school would cost

£300,000 a year. His other reason was that the school did not conform to education regulations and he was not convinced it would be able to if voluntary aided status were granted. He did, however, encourage the school to put in another application and said that he recognized there was "a substantial and genuine demand for single sex voluntary-aided Jewish school places in the London borough of Hack-

cordingly made a new application. It is being opposed by the Inner London Education Authority, which opposed the previous application on the socialist aspirations. "For example, Orthodox ground that it has too many places, but also because the ILEA inspectors do not ap-prove the schemes of work and

prove the scalemes of work and teaching methods used. It adds that insufficient teaching staff are recognized as qualified by the Department of Education The authority has philosophical and political objec-tions about which it has not been so open. A private paper to the ILEA Labour group from Mr Bryn Davies, the former

principles of some religious (as interpreted by some sects) are

Jews insist on the segregation of the sexes from three years old and this continues in the work place. Inevitably women are bound to have unequal. opportunities as men have traditionally occupied positions

Mrs Ruth Gee, deputy leader of the ILEA and Hackney's representative on the authority, said that to grant voluntaryaided status to one Jewish school might open the flood-

Stamford Hill. She emphasized that her attitude was not one of

discrimination, as has been alleged by Rabbi Pinter.

More than 3,000 Jewish children go to such schools in north London and pay very little in fees. If their parents have enough money they pay £12.50 a week at the Yesoday Hatorah, but if they do not they can pay as little as £3 for six children.

"We do not want to be an independent school", Rabbi Pinter says. "On the fees we charge it is impossible to maintain the school property."

# Fresh calls for Kincora inquiry

Politicians in Northern Ire—One politician said: "The criminal proceedings. But Mr land yesterday renewed their whole thing down to the timing Prior's view is that there should demands for a judicial public of its release, which appears to have been done so that by the sexual scandal, in spite of a time people could comment in across the province report clearing the Royal Ulster detail the story will be old news Constabulary of a cover-up. Members of the province's

assembly said the report by Sir George Terry, former Chief Constable of Sussex, who opposed further investigation into the affair, left important an inquiry. questions unanswered.

Britain wastes £20m of the £100m it spends a day on

energy. Mr Peter Walker, Secretary of State for Energy, launches a conservation programme to cut waste today.

David Young, Energy Correspondent, starts a three part

series examining how much has been achieved in the 10

years since oil prices soared and how much is left to do. He

sumers could save more than Architects Energy Group has

fl.400m a year, the cost of the found that domestic and indus-

proposed Sizewell nuclear trial users are often unaware of

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electronic manufacturers are giving easily-read information

essential appliances to be ment of Energy is a meter with switched off at peak times by an alarm which can be set each coded signals transmitted on week to ring when a predeter-

"Mainsource", which is devel- supplies so that energy can be

Radio 4. By the end of the year mined total cost is reached.

provide the householder with the power network.

There was also criticism of the RUC for publishing the politician's demands against Sir report's, findings on Saturday report's findings on Saturday morning in what was seen as a clear attempt to minimize publicity.
The politicians claim that Sir

George exceeded his brief by criticising the socal services and making recommendations for an inquiry within that service. Some suspect that, by making such wide-ranging comments he or religious interests. would enable the Government. The Director of Public naivety, incompetence and, in to declare that there was little Prosecutions has also dedided some instances, an avoidance of purpose for a full inquiry.

starts at home.

Domestic electricity con-

GEC and Sangamo Schlum-

Teleswitch" which enables non-

3,000 homes will be connected

by Thorn-EMI, will

"Radio Teleswitch"

berger have developed a "Radio cutbacks.

government intentions".

State for Northern Ireland, will more than £1 m. decide on his return from the United States whether to set up RUC's handling of the Kincora

He will have to balance the is no need for effort and time to be expended on further inquiries into this rather distasteful matter".

that further investigations would provide an "undesirable information received in the state of t platform" for those with selfinterested motives or political

that there is no basis for further responsibility."

The Royal Institute of British

on the cost rather than the units

burnt would soon lead to

One idea before the Depart

The system will also allow

saved and the best use made of

an instant print-out of the cost of energy consumption.

The Thorn-EMI system, which uses meters monitored through mains cables, will be through mains cables, will be through the look of the cost of

and electricity boards to control

The Northern Ireland Office makes me very suspicious of is aware that further unsubstantiated allegations might be Mr James Prior, Secretary of that such an inquiry could cost made at a public inquiry, and

scandal clears the force of a

The inquiry arose from newspaper reports which led to three members of the staff at the Kincora boys home in east Belfast being jailed for attacks on children incare.

1970s, He also condemns the social services for "a high degree of

The waste of energy: 1

Radio 4 can save electricity by remote control

Mr Walker: New conserva-

tion programme.

under trial at a cost of £3m,

shared by the company, the gas and electricity industries and

the Department of Trade and

Industry. A scheme involving up to 100,000 homes may

However, the RIBA Energy

Group has said that such cost

follow at a cost of £20m.

Assaults inquiry at the Maze From Richard Ford Belfast

stripped and beaten.

be using as much as 20 per cent

Architects working with loc

schemes are those who can least

The Department of Energy

grants system has helped in that

area, but schemes most likely to

bring large benefits are those which will make use of home

computers, involving the house-

holder paying up to £150 for a

computer program to analyse in

householder what financial

benefits can be achieved by loft

insulation, cavity wall insu-

lation an double glazing.
Trials in Britain have centred

on two "typical" homes; the

first is a 15-year-old two-bedroom bungalow in Man-

chester, the second a three-bed-

Tomorrow: Conservation and

room semi-detached house in

north London suburb.

his home.

Police are investigating alle- that some prison officers had gations that prison officers virtually mutinied after the stripped and beat a republican break-out. inmate at the Maze jail after the Desmond Armstrong, a reescape of 38 Provisional IRA publican prisoner from west prisoners last month.

Belfast, told Father Faul at

maintenance programmes. be using as much as 2:
Mr Hugh Morris, Energy less electricity and gas.

"For that reason architects afford insulation

left in all weathers without most

also feel that the UK domestic

consumer is not yet ready to invest in heat pumps, which draw warm air from the

atmosphere even on the coldest

day and feed it into the home,

either as ducted heating air or to

pre-heat water supplies for

conventional central heating

Ironically most of the experi-

ments will be conducted in homes in Milton Keynes,

already among the most energy

efficient in Britain, thanks to

new insulation techniques in-

corprated at the design stage,

but the lesson learnt could be applied nationwide.

campaign highlighted the im-

portance of loft-insulaton, wat-

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Since the first energy-saving

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prisoners last month.

Belfast, told Father Faul at
The prison authorities are Mass that he had been an also looking into numerous orderly in the food van hijacked other complaints of ill-treat- by the escaping prisoners. He ment and assault of H-Block claimed that he was identified inmates in the days aftere to a group of prison officers as escape. But the Northern innocent in the break-out, but a Ireland Office denied that second group of officers refused police were investigating claims to accept that. He said that he of ill-treatment of 90 H-Block and three recaptured prisoners prisoners.

The investigations were started by the Maze governor, Mr Ernest Whittington, after teeth when he was hit across the Father Denis Faul complained mouth with a baton

The Northern Ireland Office denied the allegations, at the time saying Armstrong had been injured during the escape and had had dental treatment to remove two of his teeth

The prison authorities are conducting internal inquiries into claims that republican prisoners were attacked by prison officers and bitten by guard dogs in revenge for the break-out. The Northern Ireland Office has consistently denied this. A report into the break-out

were dragged along the floor, by Sir James Hennessy, Chief He claimed that he lost two Inspector of Prisons in Great Britain, is expected to completed next month.

# **Jobcentres** 'advertising illegal pay'

By Barrie Clement Labour Reporter

Jobs at illegally-low wage are being advertised by governin Britain still think that a authorities have also found that ment Jobcentres, the Low Pay building can be put up and then the people who could benefit Unit says in a report today.

Some are as much as £40 from conservation short, the unit finds in a study entitled Bob-a-Jobcentres.

The research was concluded at seven of the largest employ-ment offices in the West Midlands but the authors, Mr Steven Winyard and Raghib Ahsan, say the situation in some other regions is likely to be significantly worse. The program has been developed at the University of California. It can rapidly tell a

They conclude: "We have the absurd position of the Department of Employment employing wages inspectors to enforce legal minimum rates of pay while another part of the government employment ser-vice is advertising jobs at less than the statutory mini

"More starkly this means that government Jobcenires are unwittingly assisting employers ig a criminal act."

The survey concentrated on jobs in clothing, catering, shops, hairdressing and laundries, all occupations covered by wages council rulings. It was found that one in 20

wage council jobs paid below the legal rate and some were "far short" of it. One West Bromwich clothing firm was advertising for an experienced machinist at £50 for 59 hours work, £42.60 below the mini-

The report, which has been abmitted to the Manpower Services Commission and to Mr Tom King, the Secretary of State for Employment, calls for

# Sales of NHS land hit by legal ruling By Peter Evans, Home Affairs Correspondent Problems over government disposal programmes of health policy to sell off surplus land Authorities, and could cost the are disclosed in a letter to an National Health Service

MP from Mr John Patten, Parliamentary Under Secretary of State for Health. The letter, which must have been written with the know-

ledge of Mr Patten's chief, Mr Norman Fowler, reflects dismay that the Government's policy is being frustrated by a ruling by its law officers. The law officers ruled in March that planning permission cannot be obtained for Crown

land before sale. This means that land may realize less than its market value. its market value.

The ruling was made by the include its legislation. Sir Michael Havers, "QC, the legislation Attorney General, the then 1983/84". Solicitor General, Sir Ian "We k

There is no doubt that the law officers' opinion represents a serious setback to the land

dearly. The Department of Health is

being frustrated in its attempt to obtain early legislation to change the ruling. Mr Patten writes: "We have been pressing Patrick Jenkin (Secretary of State for the Environment) to State for the Environment) to initiate legislation to amend the Town and Country Planning Act, 1971, so that it would be legal for the Crown to apply for statutory planning permission But, although the need for legislation is accepted, "it has not been possible as yet to include it in the programme of legislation proposed in

"We know the situation is Percival, QC, and the Lord unsatisfactory and will continue Advocate, Lord Mackay of to do all we can to secure Clashfern, QC legislation at the earliest poss-Now Mr Patten has written to lible date, but we have to Mr Robert Adley, Conservative recognize the constraints of the MP for Christchurch, who legislative timetable." Meanwhile,

health authorities will have to seek a planning "indication", rather than formal permission.

### Church link has little effect on charity support By Clifford Longley

Religious Affairs Correspo Most people are willing to give to charities, according to a survey for christian Aid.

Church affiliations have almost no measurable impact on attitudes to overseas aid and many people with right-wing ns are happy to support Christian Aid, regardless of its more left-wing association.

The survey, details of which were published yesterday, found that money for charity was received more often than because someone happened to be collecting for it. The cause which seemed least popular was cancer research, because of its association with experiments on

The director of Christian Aid, Dr Charles Elliott, commenting on the survey, said-it would be possible to raise far more money from the public by sentimental appeals for "starving black babies", but this would not be acceptable to the charity's development personnel. charity's development partners, the church agencies in the Third World which dispersed the

People generally had a good opinion of Christian Aid.

### Milkmen fight imports from Europe Britain's milkmen are have

started a campaign to try to prevent the import of milk from Europe next month. Millions of leaflets are being

distributed with the daily milk claiming that a flood of cheap imports could mean the end of the traditional delivery service and the loss of more than 50,000 jobs.

The milkmen are also angry with Mr Michael Sopling, the Minister for Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, who they accuse of "disregarding the economic facts of life in the dairy industry".

The ministry introduced regulations in the Commons last Wednesday, allowing imports into Britain from November 16. The Government has been under intense pressure to allow imports after the European court ruling earlier this year that its ban on long life milk was illegal.

The Government has always insisted that the ban was necessary to protect both human and animal health in the United Kingdom foreign dairies did not meet the high standards

# Tax relief 'will not spring poverty trap

Raising the income tax threshold is an expensive and week that increasing

ineffective way of tackling the poverty trap", according to the independent Institute for Fiscal Studies, which recommends radical changes in the rules for claiming tax relief and social security benefits.

Mr John Kay, the institute's

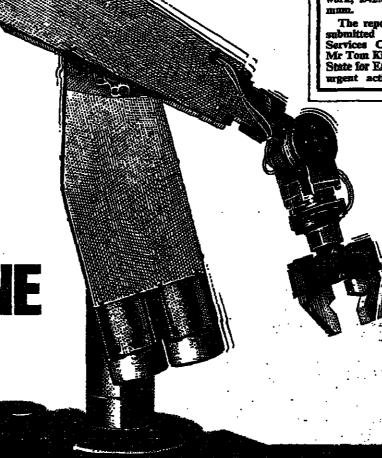
director, told a conference last

allowances by £500 for single people and £800 for married couples, a rise of a quarter, would cost more than £4,000m. But only 8 per cent of those who would no longer pay tax would be working heads of households. Most would be pensioners, working wives and

each additional pound carned would be belped.

The impact on the povert trap, where people are little better off if they earn more because of extra tax and loss of social security benefits, would be small, Mr Kay says. Fewer than 10 per cent of those facing "tax" rates of more than 60p on

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# French Socialists close ranks and defer to left-wing pressure

y divided Socialist d up its seventh inference in Bourgbehind a single ke the party almost

urs, representatives
28 main factions
esterday morning
ad bleary-eyed, but announced they to overcome their

The new 0.000-word motion, put to 2 congress and approved fanimously by the 1,400 deless, differed little from the put originally the "Courant 1", the maining centrist faction the major centrist faction dominated the Mitterrandists, but a supported by the previously parate groups led by M Pierr Mauroy, the Prime Minister, and M Michel Rocard, the griculture Minis-

nevertheless. of emphasis in phs in deference y the left-wing led by M Jean-Cerès faction Pierre Cher mer Indust ement, the for-Minister. As a result, the par's already highly critical attitle towards the United State was hardened. The desirably of achieving comic growth

th tangible relief that gically from the US and the was deleted. The motion continued:

"France's voice in world affairs is different from that of the US. Its active contribution is a decisive factor in the evolution of events. There are disagreements with the US concerning rtions in 1986, its ultra-protectionist trade rnight deliberations policies, its selfish monetary policies, its adventurist policies in Central America and in the Caribbean, as illustrated by the military invasion of Grenada; its ambiguous policy in West Africa, its errors in the strategic arms talks, and its arms race."

Pressure by the Ceres also led to a weakening of the party's firm stand on the deployment of missiles in Europe. The wording of the original motion was changed from: "We cannot accept that the USSR keep what it has deployed, and at the same time the non-deployment of American missiles. "to: "We cannot accept that the USSR keep the essential elements of what it has deployed ... "

The party's success in achieving its own unification will enable it to approach with greater confidence the forthcoming talks with its partners in government, the Communists. on the issue of the increasingly critical stance adopted by the Communists

Apparently on the orders of President Mitterand, M Lionel Jospin, the party's first sec-retary, used the conference to domestic chomic growth despite the sent crisis, was reinforced.

A suggesti in the original motion that spite its independent stan b world affairs, France was hidistant, ideologically, poil ally and strate-

# Regan attempts to ouflank Kremlin

a month to The Pope has sent a message to first of the President Reagan and Presinew America missiles are d medium-range yed in Britain and West Ge my. President Reagan has in urged the Soviet Unid finally to negotiate serio in Geneva.

in his weekly radio broadcas as responding to the offer Preent Andropov made last week o reduce the range missiles the European theatre to 140 lower figure than the Sov Cauca had

than the Sov Union had previously prop d.

President R an said the Soviet Union had not formally presented its w offer

However, the tate Department has alread poured cold water on the trest Soviet initiative, sayin was a new attempt by Mos w to split the US from its Nat lies.

It is clear that US and the Soviet Union as peaged in an intense propagate contest in the remaining teeks before deployment of Pershing 2 and ground-latened cruise

and ground-lained cruise missiles begins.

The America believe the Andropov offer's timed to overshadow the to decision in Ottawa last sek to dismantle 1,400 bat jeld nuclear weapons in Emily over the

next five years. It also coinci with the United States rasion of Grenada. This has rued out to be a propaganda witfall for the Soviet Union, ashe United Pope's plea

dent Andropov, expressing his anxiety about the international situation and calling for further efforts at negotiating an arms agreement in Geneva (Peter vicholls writes from Rome). the closing session on Saturday of the bishops' synod. The Pope told the bishops of his lears about growing differences and the "menacing" conflicts already taking place.

States has not only been shown to be the aggressor but to have taken the decision to use force against the advice of its closest European ally, Britain.

In his broadcast, President Reagan said the decision to scrap 1,400 weapons "stands in stark contrast to the actions of the Soviet Union". He said that while the .United States will have reduced its nuclear arsenal in Europe by one third since 1979, the Soviet Union had added more than 200 mediumrange SS20s, carrying a total of warheads, during that

● COPENHAGEN: Mr Uffe Ellemann-Jensen, the Danish Foreign Minister, today starts two days of talks with Soviet officials in Moscow. He will have four hours of talks with his Soviet counterpart, Mr Andrei Gromyko, expected to focus on the negotiations in Geneva (Christopher Follett writes).

# Wafd vins right to fight

The reconstitute New Wafd
Party, widely larged as potentially the streets opposition force in Ext. won the first round of a legislative with the Government was a court ruled on Saturday 21: had the legal striets contest municipal decorate are to be

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ue to be ution when Nasser created a une-party state.

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Crisis of identity: Argentine police controlling Saturday's rush for the identification cards needed to vote in the elections.

# High turn-out as the voting starts in Argentina

From Andrew Thomp

Voting in Argentina's general election started smoothly yesterday with signs of an ex-tremely high turnout. The elections are the first held in 10 years of military rule.

Earlier, the Government lifted the state of seige which

none, the outgoing President, than at the end of January called for calm and national reconciliation, and announced front-runners in the presidential could be brought forward.

had been in force since believed that the civilian ad-November, 1974. In a televised ministration could be sworn in speech. General Reynaldo Big- around mid-December, rather third largest city, with a rally

The Peronists, one of the two that the hand-over of power to race, closed their campaign with the new civilian authorities a mass rally on Friday night attended by more than a million Although General Bignone supporters in the centre of did not name a date, it is Buenos Aires. Two days earlier

paign in Rosario, the country's third largest city, with a rally attended by more than 300,000

Summing up the general satisfaction, the mass circulation newspaper, Clarin, carned a hanner headline saying:

# 'Humbled' Kaunda is sworn in for fifth presidential term

received 93 per cent of votes cast in Thursday's election.

President Kaunda's five-yearly mandate and he declared himself "overwhelmed and humbled".

Comed by urban voters who see the Unip party structure, particularly the Central Committee.

The percentage poll was estimated at 63 per cent. compared with the 67 per cent registered voters who cast popularly known, received about 81 per cent of the votes. None of the 125 constituencies recorded a majority of "No" votes compared with seven in 1978.

The election was remarkable, in that for the first time since Zambia's independence from Britain 19 years ago there was no alternative to "KK", even in the background. A former senior presidential adviser remarked with startling candour

This time it just faded away " The results for the parliamen-

President Kenneth Kaunda available last night but a of Zambia was sworn in for a number of MPs and ministers fifth term at a ceremony in front were thought likely to lose their of the colonial High Court seats in a voter reaction to building here yesterday, having increasing economic austerity. increasing economic austerity.

in an interview with The Times on Saturday. President The only candidate for the Presidency, he was driven from State House along avenues lined by flame trees to have the arrival and the state of the st by flame trees to hear the poll reform and he did not rule out result announced by Chief the possibility of independent Justice Annel Silongwe. Fewer candidates being allowed to than 500 people attended the stand for Parliament. Although ceremony, but the vote rep- that might endanger party resented an emphatic renewal of candidates, it would be wel-

miliee. President "Fortunately, Zambians speak want to opt for a new system ballots at the last election in they will say so. At present they 1978, when "KK", as he is are supporting the system. But they will say so. At present they you cannot get away from these people. They will see through

> On the relative openness of Zambian society, he said "It is a great safety valve we have, to speak freely on any issue.

He declined to be drawn on including Mr Valentine Musa-kanya, former Governor of the Bank of Zamhia, under sentence of death for treason. Their appeal is under consideration. at the weekend: "Before we had but there is strong speculation to take care of the opposition. In diplomatic circles that, even if it is turned down. President tary elections were not yet grant elemency

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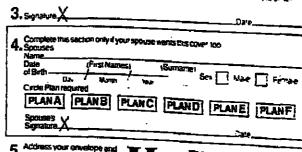
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**Technocrat** 

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Scoon

By Henry Stanhope Diplomatic Correspondent

technocrats is being assembled by the Commonwealth to help

Sir Paul Scoon, Governor

General of Grenada, pull his

country out of its present crisis.

That was the top priority facing Mr Sonny Ramphal, the Commonwealth Secretary-

General, who summoned his

principal aides to a contingency

planning meeting at his Marlbo-rough House headquarters in

Sir Paul is said to favour a

non-party technocratic admin-

istration of the island in advance of free elections, in the

The first of about 12 experi-

enced administrators, who are

likely to include Grenadians

living abroad and represen-

tation from Whitehall, should

All will be seconded by their

Governments and the enter-prise will be financed by the

commonwealth fund for Tech-

nical Cooperation, according to

Mariborough House sources.
The Commonwealth Sec-

etary-General, now a central

figure in the diplomatic coming

and going which has followed

last Tuesday's invasion of

Grenada, cancelled a planned

weekend on the telephone

instead, negotiating with the

heads of Commonwealth coun-

Sir Paul Scoon's priorities

were spelt out in a conversation

with the Secretary-General on

Saturday afternoon - 24 hours

after Mr Ramphal had dis-

cussed the options with Sir

Geoffrey Howe, the Foreign

Secretary.

Last night Sir Geoffrey left

for Rome and a bilateral

meeting today on the forth-

coming EEC Summit in Athens.

State for Defence, underlined

British reluctance to become

involved in a guerrilla war in

Grenada when questioned on the World This Weekend on BBC Radio 4 yesterday.

"How long it will take the

Americans to really establish complete security in the island

emains to be seen. The degree of security that can be estab-

ished before the Americans

leave is going to be a significant factor for us in judging at what point a Commonwealth force

should come in and the extent

The Foreign Office said last night that 55 British people had

now left Grenada The last

planeload, flown out by the

Americans, had included all but

one of the 18 Plessey Group

engineers who had been super-

vising the construction of Grenada's controversial new

Mr Tony Devereux rejected

the American claim that the

airport was being built for

airport at Point Salines.

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From Trevor Fishlock, Frequente, Grenada

The islanders are bemused. Machine-gun fire, with a sound like a tiger's growl, pours from an aircraft circling the junglecovered hills, helicopters clatter, and Jeeps, full of soldiers with green-painted faces, bounce through lanes ablaze with

bouganvillaea. Wide-eyed children suck their thumbs and their parents sit on their porches in a puzzled, chins-in-hand way. People are relieved, not jubilant. They are pleased the Americans are here, but they

hope they will be gone in six months. There is a desperate longing for political stability.
"It's as if the garbage man has come and taken the rubbish away, Mr Benmin John, a haulage contractor, aged 29, We're glad the Americans came. This island has been like a prison for five years. Now we

have a chance to get out of the mess," he added. People like Mr John have a tolerant view of Mr Maurice Bishop, the Prime Minister murdered in the coup. "He was a good man in his way. He was a Marxist, but not extreme and were alive, he would easily win

an election. Mr Bernard Coard and General Hudson Austin, who brought machine-guns pointing out of down Mr Bishop. Everyone in emplacements. It still comes them into little pieces." Mr Maritn Lewis, an ice-cream nodded enthusiastic agreement. to the soldiers.

Mr Vincent Samuel, a cus-toms officer, said: "We're an casy-going people. We would never make good Communists. because we like doing what we want. Our army was indoctri-nated by Cubans and the Marxists tried to indoctrinate the people. We had political classes every Friday in my department, but I used to skip

Grenadians I talked to, seem to have been affronted rather boot. than angered by the presence of Cubans and the activities of local Marxists. They are just rude pigs, those people." one man said. "You know what they tried to tell us? They tried to say no God, who breathes life into us? Were they trying to tell us it was old Castro?

### Surinam orders Cubans out

The Hague (AFP) - Surinam has ordered the expulsion of more than 100 Cuban diplomats and advisers, the Dutch news agency ANP reported here yesterday.

Quoting a senior Surinam official, ANP said the order would affect about 25 diplomats and 80 advisers assigned to various ministries and the militia. Surinam sources said the invasion of Grenada had contributed to the decision.

In Port of Spain, The Cuban Ambassador to Trinidad and Tobago and Barbados, Señor Ivan Cesar Martiñez, said that the Caribbean involvement in the invasion of Grenada will not affect Cuban-Caribbean relations, because it was in reality an act of U.S. aggression. He denied there were still 500 Cubans fighting in the mountains.

south. This is the site of one of the American forces' initial objectives. It is now their That's why they killed him. He greatest prize, a compound of is a big loss to Grenada. If he six warehouses containing they say. Cuban military stores.

There was a fierce battle There is profound hatred for possession of the compound and troops are now dug in with this island would like to shred under attack. While we were there, a sniper opened fire and everyone dived for cover. Such seller, said, as his neighbours attacks are a persistent mena ce

> machine guns. There are also spares and food. One warehouse is full of boxes of overalls, hats, shirts and socks. Some of these garments are scattered on the floor along with dozens of pencils inscribed Hecho en Cuba. Among all this, curiously enough, lies a single cricket

> "There's enough here to outfit seven battalions," an army captain said. The Americans see this place as evidence that the Cubans were up to no good in Grenada, and that it is

"We're here to stop the These discussions took place Cubans oppressing the Grenain the village of Frequente, a dians", a sergeant said. "It's not lit is place with miles from the Cuban-built an excuse, it's a damned good feels it is reason. The people are grateful little war.

to us. You can see it in their

eyes."
The Americans showed us around a wooden hut on the compound which they described as a propaganda centre. They seemed excited by it but the contents were not impressive. There are handwritten posters extolling the revolution, photagraphs of Cuban troops in training copies of Soviet Weekpictures of President Fidel Castro, a paperback called The Civil War in Russia, and a pampillet written by the Soviet Foreign Minister, Mr Andrei

Gromyko. Not far from here, on a hillside overlooking the airstrip they had been building, 600 captured Cubans sit and wait behind barbed wire, guarded by soldiers. They have a good view of what is now the busiest airstrip in the Caribbean, watching transport aircraft bring in stores, artillery and reinforcements. Troops are dug in around the airstrip in great

The Cuban prisoners live in four large wooden buildings and in tents. They sit hunched in attitudes of resignation. They told us they were all construction workers but that their military training had made them familiar with weapons. They said they had decided themselves that they would fight if the Americans landed. In the event, they fought until they ran out of ammunition.

The American troops took well pleased with themselves. They are gratified that the local There are hundreds of boxes

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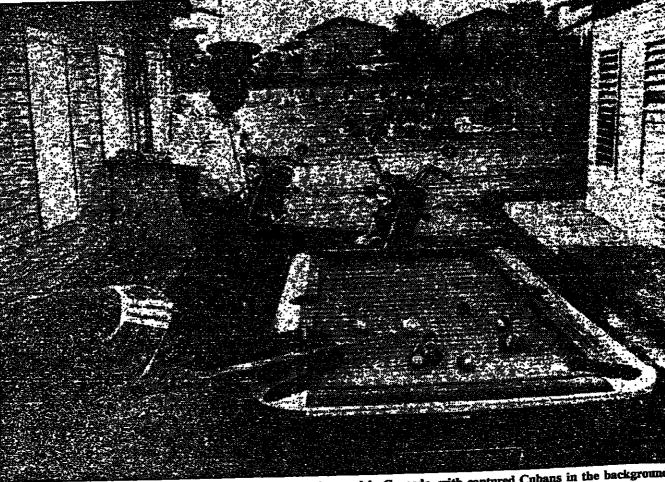
We had a good old light with of ammunition, mortar rounds, a variety of rifles, including Russian weapons, pistols and a good days", a soldier said, describing an action. "It was a good an action. "It was a good training mission", an officer

> Vice-Admiral Joseph Metcalf III, who is in charge of the operation, is the epitome of the happy warrior. At a news conference at the airstrip he wore a baseball cap and talked with finger-jabbing gusto. He seemed exultant.

He said he had seen the recently arrested Mr Bernard arrive at St George's the capital, Coard. "He looked pretty fat to me", the admiral said. "I did not speak to him. I scowled at

He concluded the conference saying, with a broad grin; Thank you, gentlemen. Go get

It is plain that the admiral feels it is quite a satisfactory



War games: Guards playing pool in Grenada, with captured Cubans in the background, and (below) a wave from a Beirut bomb victim arriving in the US.



# Castro accuses Pentagon of Yankee fantasy and panic

From Richard Williams, Havana

Cubans held prisoner by US forces on Grenada will be allowed to leave as soon as the sniping stops, President Fidel Castro says he has been told by Washington.

According to Dr Castro, the US alleges that the continu-ation of their activities would endanger the transfer of the prisoners to a British ship

Dr Castro said he had received this message in a telephone call from Preside Belisario Betancur of Colombia in which the details of possible arrangements had been discussed. Seor Betancur and Spain's Prime Minister Felipe Gonzalez, have been acting as mediators between Cuba and the United States to secure repatriation of the captured

The Cuban dead and wounded are to be brought to Havana by a Swissair plane placed at the disposal of the Inter-national Red Cross. A Cuban Red Cross official said that the flight from Grenada may be made via Barbados and may

take place today. The ship which will transport the remaining prisoners has not been identified. Dr Castro made clear his anger at the refusal of the US to allow the use of the Caban ship, Vietnam Heroico, which is in the vicinity of Grenada.

the vicinity of Grenada.

"The alleged reason is that they say it is carrying special armaments, he said in this communique. "That is pure Yankee fantasy. The truth is that the United States has seized every pretext to delay the return of the Cuban personnel, including the dead and wounded."

The Cuban Government bas responded to United States estimates of the number of Cubans on Grenada with a list which specifies the number of its citizens on the island, a total of 784, and their precise functions.

The Pentagon, the communiqué stated, had given a total of 638 Cubans captured, including the wounded. The Cuban Foreign Ministry has been anxious to take

reporters to meet the relatives of the Cubans on Grenada whose individual fates are unknown. Señora Nellie Sánchez is the wife of Senor José Joaquin Girón Cabailón, an ophthalmologist, aged 45, who left Calixto Garcia Hospital in Havana 18 months ago to assist with the organization of a new ward in the hospital at St George's, Grenada. "The only weapons my husband had", she said, "were his scalpel, scissors and other medical instru-

Senor Jesus Vizcaino, aged

44 returned a month ago from Grenada, where he had been working with the Grenadian Government's Department of Statistics. "They requested our help in the development of their projects, especially in the sphere of industrial production", he said at his office in Havana. "We belped on the basis of their needs, according

During his six menths on the islands he had noticed no opposition to the regime of Mr Manrice Bishop. Had the Grenadians sought

to copy the example of Cuba's revolutionary socialism? "No two countries are exactly alike. We respond to the right of every country to find its own solution.

# US envoy dampens hopes of Nicaragua exiles

From Alan Tomlinson, Tegucigalpa, Honduras

The US action in Grenada has been welcomed in Honduhas been welcomed in Flound-ras, according to Mr John Negroponte, the American Ambassador.

American

Nicaraguan exile groups here, which are fighting the Sandinist regime, have also drawn encouragement from Mr Reagans action in the Caribbean. Señor Manuel Calero, the leader of the FDN, the largest group of the so-called "conras", said it has set a precedent for US anticommunist intervention in the

Mr Negroponte denied this, saying the Grenada invasion had been undertaken on its own merits and was not designed to put further pressure on Nicaragua to change the course of its revolution. He said the key to ending tensions in Central America was for Nicaragua to find a way of living with its

US troops were in Honduras for joint exercises; but "they are

distorted by the military buildup in Nicaragua.

"What really concerns the Hondurans is the lack of military balance," Mr Negroponte said. There has been no official reaction here to events in Grenada, but comment in the press has been favourable and Senor Edgardo Paz Barnica, the Foreign Minister, has emphasized that the invasion was at the request of eastern Caribbean

Mr Negroponte said it was too soon to say how events in Grenada would affect central America or the Contadora peace process. But he did not feel it would undermine confidence in Washington's desire to resolve regional problems by

# India fail to agree on border

Delhi, (Reuter) - India and China have railed to agree on a common approach to setting border differences, but the week-long talks were fruitful and encouraging, an official Indian source said yesterday. One step forward was that China agreed to a sector-by-sector review of the border with a view to a comprehensive settlement. Each side agreed to reconsider previously linaccepted proposals by the other. They also agreed of the relevance of historical evidence, customs and tradition and the inadmissibility of using brow to acquire territory.

The frontier question is a strain on Sino-Indian relations which led to war in 1 %2 India accuses China of occupying about 14,000 square miss of its territory.

## Search still on for oil ship

Peking (Renter) - Search operations continued restenday as ships and aircraft from China, the United States and iemam combed : Gulf of Tonkin for survives of an American drilling this reported sunk with 79 US and Chinese oilmen on board.

The New China: N: Ws Agency said that four Charlese ships were rushing to the 12a where a lifeboat had been spotted with flashing lights by an American

### War games

Madrid, (AFP) - US and Spanish armed proces begin their biggest ever joint manoeuvres today involving about 23,000 oldiers. 32 warships and 10 kirraft, the Defences. Ministry

# Death lead

Harrisburg, Enaysylvania (Reuter) - A foung maic passenger on a commuter-airliner forced of an an emerg-ency exit and jurged 3,500 ft to his death.

# Hijacker jailed

militant studer convicted of plotting the hips of a Garuda DC9 to Bancek in March. 1981, has been antenced to 18 years in jail to charges of subversion.

### Cocaine arrests

Miami (AFS)—A Bahamian immigration afficer and a Nassau businesman have been arrested for al gadly conspiring to import £102 worth of South American coaine into the United States

### Hero's welcome

Perth (APE- More than 400,000 peops turned out in Perth to giv. Australia's history-making America's Cup sailing tear headed businessman Alan Bond, hero's welcors.

### Jackboot fans

Munich -light-wing extremism hit Wei German football again at the eeckend as 30 neo-Nazis, posig as football fans, were arreste for assault after a match betwen Bayern-Munich and FC Numberg.

### Swan ivenged

Moscow (Reuter) - A man who wrun a swan's neck in front of victors to a Soviet zoo has been sotenced to six years in a had regime corrective labour cap for malicious hooliganis1.

### **Bubbing over**

Reims AP) - The 1983 grape harvest i Champagne of 869 million allons is being called the "cro of the century". Officials redict a production of 300 million bottles, surpassing the recor 290 million bottles in

### Parti leader

Vienn (Reuter) - Chancellor Fred Sicowatz of Austria has been elected chairman of the Socialis Party, succeeding his predecesor, Bruno Kreisky, who steeped down after heading the part for 17 years.

# Face-to-face with the father of Lebanon's Phalange

# A frail man who takes a tough line

From Robert Fisk Geneva

Shaikh Pierre Geyamel relaxed in the first-class section of his Middle East Airlines jet from Beirut to Geneva yesterday with a soda water beside him, two bright red carnations in his frail hand and, in his mind, the apparently intractable idea that he was travelling to Switzerland to discuss withdrawal of foreign armies from Lebanon.

Most of the delegates to today's reconciliation conference here - including the pro-Syrian triumvirate of Mr Walid Jumblan, Mr Sulieman Franjich, and Mr Rashid Karami believe they are going to talk about a new Lebanon and the change in the constitutional structure of the country which will deprive the Christian Maranites of some of their But Shaikh Pierre, the 78-

year-old leader of the Phalange party and President Amin Gemayel's father, was adamant. "Getting the foreigners out of our land is the first job we have," he said. "The Lebanese Government controls only 25 per cent of Lebanon, if that, and what comes first is the eviction of the foreigners, of the Syrians, Palestinians, Iranians, Libyans and Israelis. After this had been achieved,

there might be "some very slight changes" - a "small improvement" - to the 1943 Cocenant which decreed Lebanon should have a Christian Maronite president. Sheikh Pierre's bony had swept through the air dismissively. He founded the Phalange

party in 1936 after discovering

in the Nazi Olympics the discipline and order" - his words - which he felt Lebanon needed. The problem for the other eight politicians gather-ing for today's talks, including President Gemayel, is that Shaikh Pierre represents the hard line of the Phalange and apparently believes that the

> reforms. The Syrians, who will be observers at the conference, are: in no mood to accept this Mr. Abdul Halim Khaddam, the Foreign Minister, was last night reported to be on his way

Druze, the Shia Muslims and

the pro-Syrian Maronites will

be satisfied with a few minor.

None of this troubled Shaikh Pierre. The Soviet Union was behind Lebanon's problems, using the Syrians as proxies, he said. Only the United States.

prevented Lebanon from fal-ling under Soviet domination. The 1943 Covenant made Lebanon a unique land and it was therefore supported by all the people - or so Shaikh Pierrethought.

President Gemayel's telephone conversation on Friday with President Assad of Syria had not represented a "serious discussion", merely a formal contact after the civil war in the Chouf, an event Shaikh Pierre cuphemistically referred to as the mountain events.

The Syrians take a somewhat different view, as Shaikh Pierre and his retinue of bodyguards and advisers will discover when they arrive at the Intercontinental Hotel in Geneva this morning for the talks which are meant to put Lebanon together again.

# Search for someone to accept surrender From Christopher Thomas, Carriacou

An old yellow pick-up laden But everbody seems con-with 150 rifles and pistols vinced that the Grenadian

rattled down the narrow street soldiers, who supposedly numof Carriacou Island's only town ber between 20 and 30, would and stopped outside the police put up no resistance if the station on Friday afternoon. Americans or Caribbean Joint The Grenadian People's revol-forces were to land. utionary Army had come to

who had been dispatched with the arms. He had, he insisted, are hoping that the Americans no authority to disarm the will soon come ashore.

Army. The soldiers persisted. The US Navy has ground the company to the com They dumped the weapons on the concrete floor of the police station and drove back to the small army camp a few miles

All the island's half-dozen policemen were summoned and they decided on a hiding place. The weapons were then taken away to await developments and the sleepy town of Hills-borough settled down again three times by two F14 jets but after the unaccustomed excite-

not known who is in charge.

that dropped smoke bombs in its path. The boat turned back

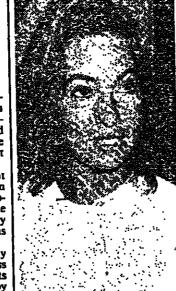
Carriacou is owned by Grenada, which lies 30 miles to the south, and for the past few humour, between journalists weeks the 8,000 islanders have and the US Navy.

The islanders are jubliant about the US intervention in A policeman stood in the hot Grenada. Most expressed supsun arguing with two soldiers port for Mr Maurice Bishop, the former Prime Minster, and they

The US Navy has graphically demostrated its unhappiness with foreign correspondents who tried to get to Carriacou by fishing boats from the nearby island of Union. One boatload that tried was harrassed by Navy helicopters

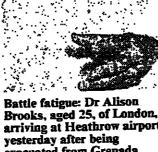
On Friday The Times and some we were not stopped. Getting to the main island of Grenada has become a matter of conflict, with touches of

A boat occupied by The There have been Cuban Times, journalists from French soldiers in Carriacou, but the islanders say they have rarely and a Newsweek photographer got to within five miles of St Gorge's, the capital, after a seen them. Nobody seems to know if any are still there or if three-hour journey from iUnion there are heavy arms in the island before being intercepted.



Battle fatigue: Dr Alison yesterday after being evacuated from Grenada days. The helicopter evacuation happened suddenly and we had to run for it. All I've got are the clothes I'm wearing. Anti-







Brooks, aged 25, of London, arriving at Heathrow airport with US medical students. " aircraft missiles were being used and we saw helicopters

haven't slept for nearly eight

being shot down," she said.

RETURN OF THE PEOPLE'S SHAH For the past 2,500 years Iran's Monarchy was the symbol of

Since the fall of the Imperial Government, the Iranian people have suffered immeasurably and the marvellous achievements of the Pahlavi Dynasty have been destroyed, but hope for the return of the rightful Shah has never died. October 31st is the 24th birthday and the 4th anniversary of the succession of His Majesty REZA SHAH II, The

people's Shah of Iran. Iranians are greeting the occasion and pray for the speedy restoration of His Majesty to end the present hellish

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# Solidarity and Jaruzelski settle in for war of attrition as amnesty ends

opponentiof General Jaruzelski, the Polisi Covernment and the hardcore of the Solidarity undergrand settled in for a war of ambion.

Solidary called at the weekend or protests throught November including demonstrations and poster campaigns.

Warsaw inderground, and Mr Bogdan Lis, of Gdansk.

It is clear from a clandestine journal circulating in Warsaw that the fugitive Solidarity. Sovernment, deter-to-show that it was

prepared to make concilatory gestures and the last minutes of the amersty, declared that the seven didarity leaders and four members of the KOR oups awaiting trial wed to emigrate if would be

Such of shave been made activists here been interned and imprisoned since the declaration of martial law declaration of martial law almost two ears ago – but they have refused the offer. Their friends and families expect them to do sagain.

The amney, introduced in July, when martial law was lifted, expess at midnight tonight. So far about 560 activists had declared them.

activists has declared themout of humanitarin concern, but selves to the police and been allowed to a free, but most concern at all.

The Government is in a

From Roger Boyes, Warsaw

With any hours to go before raids in all big centres of counter-revolutionaries", can the explit of an amnesty for opposition in an amennt to be picked up at will. arrest underground leaders who have refused to surrender. Those still free include Mr Zbigniew Bujak, head of the for Solidarity. It is thus

> that the fugitive Solidarity leadership has no intention surrendering. "It is our moral and social obligation to fight for the release of political pris-oners," said the bulletin, signed by the five members of the underground steering committee

Mr Jerzy Urban; the government spokesman, said in a statement to the official PAP news agency that the emigration offer was open until the beginning of the trial of the KOR dissidents and that it was up to the West to persuade

them to leave.

It was unlikely that "the Western overloads of the KOR and the hard-core extremists of Solidarity would bother to persuade the 11 to leave Poland - they call for freeing people

underground position.
Having me its emigration dilemma. After the expiry of the amnesty it must demongesture, Solid ity sympathizers expect the amorties to make and that the undergournd, "the

But that means beginning

another round of trials and the production en masse of martyrs Warsaw underground, and Mr exploring the option of induced emigration, which is likely to be rejected by most leading Solidajournal circulating in Warsaw rity underground campaigners that the fugitive Solidarity precisely because it is being made out of embarrassment.

Those who may well consider emigration are the activists who are ill or who have sick relatives, as well as those who fear a long haul of persecution at work when they leave the underground. Correspondents were

proached at the weekend by a number of underground activists involved in printing leaflets in the provinces. Fearful that something unpleasant would happen to them if they surrendered to the police even before the expiry of the to contact Western embassies to secure the promise of asylum. The police are anxious to net

at least one underground leader before November 10, the third anniversary of the registration of Solidarity as a legal union. A sign of this came earlier. this month when officials -according to dissident sources beat up the wife of Mr Zbigniew

Moran López (above) yesterday Janas, a fugitive organizer to try and, according to Senor Morán,

that Mr Deng had reiterated Peking's stand that the talks with Britain on Hongkong's most of the territory expires.

China intends to regain sovereignty over Hongkong by 1997, when Britain's lease on

ANC denies attempt on Botha

# Pretoria accused of faking bomb plot

The banned African National Congress (ANC), in a statement from its headquarters in Lusaka, the Zambian capital, has suggested that the South African claim of an assassination attempt on the Prime Minister last week was stage-managed to whip up sympathy before Wednesday's Whites-only refer-endum on a new constitution. The statement was seen as an effective denial by the ANC of involvement in the alleged assassination attempt. South Africa claimed that a young black, carrying a bomb, was arrested in Pietermaritzburg last Thursday night on his way to blow up Mr P. W. Botha, the Prime Minister, and other members of his Cabinet, who

the man was a trained ANC The ANC has, in fact, never advocated the assassination of senior government figures – although they would be relatively easy targets in a country where, in spite of its deserved reputation in some respects as a police state, security pre-cautions are often surprisingly

were in the town for a

referendum rally. Pretoria says

lax. Dr Hendrik Verwoerd, the third and most influential Prime Minister of the apartheid era, was the target of two assassination attempts. of

Zulu students die in campus clash

Johannesburg (Reuter) -Three students have been killed and 10 seriously injured after violent clashes with supporters of a Zulu political group at the black University of Zululand, near Empangeni in northern

Natal. The violence flared as the Inkatha organization held a campus rally, addressed by Chief Gatsha Buthelezi, its leader, who has been accu being a stooge of South Africa in his role as Chief Minister of

both occasions were demented whites. The fatal blow was struck by a parliamentary Meanwhile, in a separate

statement, the ANC has urged liberal whites to vote "No" the referendum on the constitution, which would give limited political rights to mixed-blood Coloureds and Indians. In doing so, the ANC said, the whites would join hands with blacks in the struggle to dismantle minority rule and create a non-racial, Minister collapses: Mr Pik Botha, the Foreign Minister. was yesterday examined for

# Migabe threat to pre-white schools

Harare (AP Juter) - Private a three-pronged cleaning-up schools in Zim lowe that have more white the black students by next year w be shut down, Mr Robert Mr be, the Prime Minister, said a he weekend.

Some churc and private schools were sure and private agreed to

schools were rating fees to keep their doors close to the average black child, he ad at a rally in the eastern Week district. The Government is preparing legislation to ban private schools that have minority of

The Govern int paid all teacher's salarie and gave per capita grants to tvate schools, so there was schools to char reason for as much as £530 a term, he s

by churches Even schools r were guilty. He understand why could not they used discriminatory practices" when they were expected to create a non-racial ociety.

and police motted a taid which a spokesma described as

Shacks at one squatter camp in another development, the Foreign Office in London has agreed to repatriate a British immigrant family that fled from South Africa to Zimbabwe last

Mr Sean Biesty, a Manchester carpenter, said he went to South Africa 18 months ago after being offered "sunny skies, work and a beautiful home". None of the promises were

He said his family was left stranded, almost penniless, after living for five months in single rooms. There was "one rip-off after another". Mr Biesty said he would sue the South African Embassy in London.

In a separate incident, the former Prime Minister, Bishop Abel Muzorewa, denied he was In the capital nundreds of squatters, beggars of suspected prostitutes were sing held in Africa against the Zimbabwe of political harrassment and

# Anxiev in Spain ver art loses

A senior Spani museum curator has admitted that measures to preventihe smuggling of national a treasures out of the country are inad-

Schora Manuela Iena, depu-ty director of Prado museum and a messer of the While we are revising art objects of trivial vale, paintings like Goya's 'Miquesa de Santa Cruz' leave the country

by other ways."

The Spanish Mistry of Culture last summer chounced the illegal export of thorivatel-ly owned early theteenth century portrait of th Spanish aristocrat and starti legal proceedings which has so far been fruitless.

Police suspected at he time that a yacht-owning asinessman had taken out the ainting and had gone to Alentina. They alleged that the ainting had found its way to Ludon or Continental art markets. Continental art markets
The chief of the the squad

also told the art club at the 50-year-old law to project art treasures was inadequal Real-ly valuable pieces neve even entered the legal art ealers' circuits. Art works often assed direct from an art this to a clandestine heart or to in art lively and police captured. smugglet abroad

For every bonest art lealer chief declared.

# **Evren hits** at critics of Turkish poll

Ankara (Reuter) President Kenan Evren has said that next week's general election, crit-cized at home and abroad as not being free, would bring back democracy and disappoint those who tried to impose their own ideology on Turkey. He was speaking at a big

military parade here on Saturday to mark the sixtieth national art exports pervisory anniversary of the founding of the Turkish Republic by Mustaclub: "More than he the art exports do not come rough us. While we are reviving art the resistance of solutions and ill-intentioned accustions, we will establish democracy and a parliamentary system through the general election on November 6, the President said.

Opposition groups at home and abroad have said the elections will not return democracy, as only three parties have been allowed to contest the poll. The democratic process was suspended by a military coup three years ago and next week's voting will take place under continued marital law.

PARIS-Fifteen opponents of the military regime in Turkey have been charged with premeditated assault in Friday's brief takeover of the British Consulate in Paris (AP reports). The 15, including 11 Turks and four French people, were released on Sturday under judicial supervision

one who they said had conthere are five to ten weking here in the shadows", the blice chief declared.

fessed to being a member of an underground Armenian group (Reuter reports).

# Russia and China agree Peking (Reuter) - Special envoys from China and the Soviet Union will meet in Moscow next March for a fourth round of take

fourth round of talks on normalizing relations frosty since an ideological split two decades ago.

terday by the two sides and issued here by the New China News Agency, said the third round of discussions, held this month, proceeded in a calm and

is said the two sides found

weeks in reking.

Mir Ilyichov refused to comment at Peking Airport, but Mr Qian Qichen, the Chinese Deputy Foreign Minister, said the meetings had been helpful in the increasing mutual undergranding.

standing. Diplomats said the statement made no mention of the obstacles which China has maintained must be removed normalization before

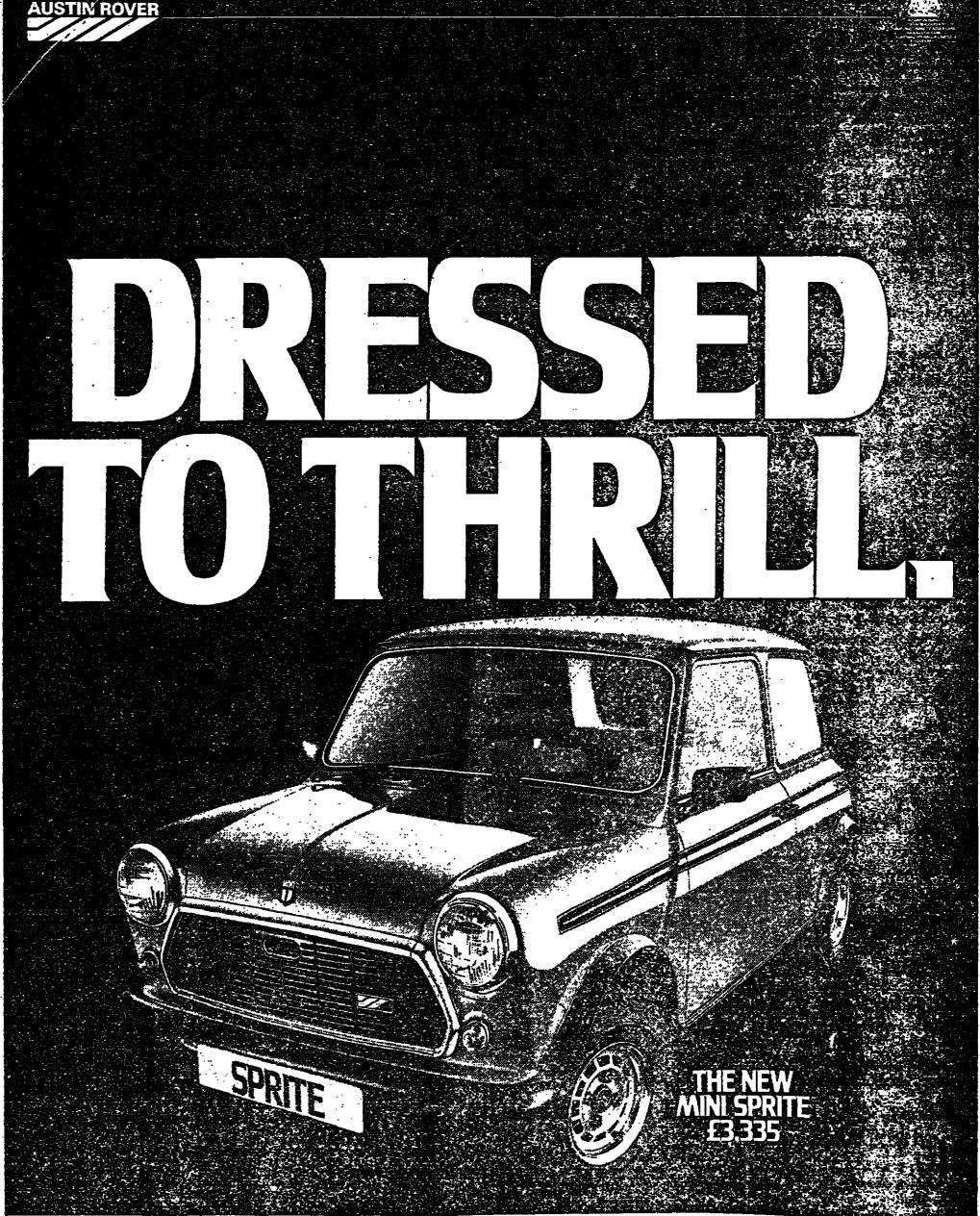
China is demanding that possible. the consultations useful. The statement was published a few hours after the Soviet negotiating team, led by left Leonid along the Chinese border.



Minister, Señor Fernando to persuade him to surrender. said that the question of who

Peking (AFP and AP) - Mr will administer Hongkong after future dealt only with assuring Deng Xiaoping, the Chinese China reclaims sovereignty over the colony's prosperity and the colony is not negotiable. stability until 1997. the colony is not negotiable. Senor Moran told reporters

which the second, in 1966, was lapsing at a political rally on successful. But his assailants on Saturday night (Reuter reports).



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some things are at a discount. diplomats and think tanks among them. It is mildly surprising, therefore, to find in the Foreign and Commonwealth Office a flourishing team of bright young officials licensed to think the unthinkable. What is more, Sir Geoffrey Howe, the Foreign Secretary, seems to relish their output. The Prime Minister uses their material for her speeches and has just appointed one of their former heads, Sir Percy Cradock, to be her personal adviser on foreign

affairs in Number 10.

The Cabinet's Think Tank, the Central Policy Review Staff, has lain dead since July. But the FO's planning staff continues to pour out stuff on movements in the price of oil, instability in Central America, East-West economic relations, Poland, Hongkong, Gibralter, the Falklands, Belize and, since last Wednesday when it became their number one priority, Grenada. Once a month, Sir Anthony Acland, head of the Diplomatic Service, calls a meeting of his deputy secretaries to plunder their product. There is a constant two-way flow of information with the Joint Intelligence Committee, the engine room of Whitehall's secret world, which the planning staff carefully avoid mentioning (the IIC and its works intered the pages of the Franks report on the Falklands in January, but the mist has descended once more; nobody will admit that it exists).

If Mrs Thatcher, the slaughterer of think tanks, did cross Downing Street to pay the planning staff a visit in their ground floor billet, next to Sir Antony Acland's office, with its grand view of St James's Park, she would probably like what she saw. Its small staff do not fit the fashionable but unfair stereotype of the FO as a citadel of polished smoothies forever talking down the national interest and endlessly seeking one group of foreigners or another to sell out to.

For a start they are run by a woman as sharp as any in public life. Miss Pauline Neville-Jones, who has a knack of being in the right capital at the right time - Salisbury, Rhodesia when UDI was declared, Washington as Watergate engulfed the Nixon presidency - has her own view why the planning staff have survived.

Why have we been spared? For a number of reasons. We don't attempt to be inter-departmen-ial. We are not involved in the inter-departmental power game. We have been established for a very long time [since 1964]. People do not let us see the papers. They can't stop us seeing the telegrams. But they could stop us seeing the policy submissions. Nothing could kill a



The thinkers of the unthinkable (from left): Colin Jennings, Mary Blake-Pauley, Sherard Cowper-Coles, David Lyscom, Pauline Neville-Jones, Andrew Colchoun, David Manning (absent, Desmond Cecil) Photograph: Brian Harris

planning staff sooner than to be cut off from information. The FO does understand the value of licensed devil's advocates."

They use a number of ploys to make an impact on potential customers. They try to invent snappy titles for their papers. Miss Neville-Jones did not want to give away scoops by mentioning recent examples. But The End of the Rainbow, an early 1970s study of what happens when North Sea oil runs out, is a cherished gem from the past. Beneath the headline the idea is to keep it short and relevant. It helps if you have prepared the market in advance by engaging the customers in debate. Think the unthinkable by all means but do not stray into the realms of the politically daft like suggesting half-a-dozen ways of ceding the sovereignty of the Falklands to Argentina. This week their energies will be concentrated on possible practical solutions for Grenada in the post military intervention phase.

The planning staff have proved adaptable. They usually have an outsider on their strength though they are all insiders at the moment. Mr Colin Jennings is on secondment from the

Ministry of Defence. Mr David Lyscom is an economist and statistician. Mr Andrew Colqhoun is an Arabist with a PhD in plant physiology from Glasgow Universty. The ages of the team range from 28 (Mr Sherard Cowper-Coles) to 43 (Miss Neville-Jones). They respond to external circumstances and the wishes of their consumers, while all the time trying to generate initiatives themselves which may be sparked off by an odd paragraph in a routine telegram or even by something they have read in the

The invasion of Afghanistan in 1979 and the invasion of the Falklands in 1982 saw them transformed temporarily into a crisis clearing centre - by Sir Michael Palliser, then head of the Diplomatic Service who had run the planning staff in its first two years, when the Russians struck and by Sir Antony Acland when Port Stanley fell to the Argentines. Sir Michael always had a soft spot for them. "Access to the Permanent Secretary", said one insider, "means the planning staff can play games with the big divisions. Palliser was prepared occasionally to

allow games to be played with it, to let an argument run."

In fact, part of the planning staff's job is to inject heterodoxy into the FO, raiding the minds of MPs, academics, journalists and the collective wisdom of bodies like Chatham House and the International Institute of Strategic Studies. Sir Julian Bullard, FO's political director, and an important patron of the planning staff, is particularly keen on this aspect which is described by Miss Neville-Jones as "spreading the seed corn around the office".

A lot of corn has been pushed the way of ministers in the past two years. The Falklands resignations brought in one new bunch, the general election a second (Sir Geoffrey Howe, says Miss Neville-Jones, is "a great consumer of paper and has a very retentive memory - you put something up and it comes back with little marks all over it"). As a result of ministers marching up their learning curves, about 75 per cent of her workload is generated by others. She would like it nearer 50-50. She has to beware, too, lest the short-term crowds out the long-term.

The planning staff are meant to fulful the impossible task of spotting crises or developments over the horizon. Colleagues can be rather unkind when they fail. Of all the options foreseen for post-Solidarity Poland, military rule was thought to be the least likely as it had not happened before in Eastern Europe. Since the oil shocks of the 1970s, forecasting, which flourished in the "salad days" of the Cradock era (1969-71), has been replaced by "scenarios" – for example what happens if the price of oil plummets.

The diplomatic world is full of planners in foreign offices each drawing up scenarios, contingency plans for crises and surveys of trouble spots. In the west, a kind of trade union has grown up among them. But the FO's team is much smaller than its American and French counterparts, consisting of Miss Neville-Jones, six first secretaries, one third secretary, a registry clerk and three conventional secretaries.

One in-house sympathizer says times are hard for the planning staff "because we do not have policy any more, we have rhetoric". Miss Neville-Jones showed her steel at this point: 'Simply not true. Styles change, my goodness they change. The way policy is presented these days is different from five or six years ago. It's very important to underline the British interest and defend it. That there is policy I have no doubt". There is more than one Iron Lady in

# moreover.. Miles Kingto

# A taste of their own grenadine

The world political scene chang these days that if you go away weekend you are apt to come be out of touch and still talking and of Course Parkinson. In the last week and have seen the Booker Prize per the courage to give the maneya. Figure whose name nobody could pronounce perhaps emboldened by the Net Peace Prize going to the equally unprograms able Lech Walesa. We have a Tariq All ejected from the premises of the Labour Party by their new bounds Nell Kinnock, which in a fair and just world would be the first step in July Ali's ascent towards a Nobel Peace Fris. And we have seen Grenada come from nowhere to be the world's most famous

A week ago most people thought First a car, a town in Spain or a TVF remain. I knew better than this, I am one of the few journalists in Fleet Street actual go have visited the place, and if I have not spoken up before now it was scans. spoken up before now it wis decause I have not been asked. Also, the puth to known, my visit took place to years ago at a time when last week's gouldes were at a time when last week's grounder were hard to forecast, and it hidn't seem worthwhile staying on to cale them in fact, of the 24 hours I spen them all I can remember is that milk was addly labelled back to front - KLIM and that

Because you are English, I will let you have it for a dollar," said the kindly Grenadian, or perhaps Grenadian.

"Normally I would charte kinericans four or five dollars for one." "And how much would ref charge a native?" Linquired. Ten cents," was the refresh

perhaps Grenadier.

Not the sort of in-depth persound on which to write a piece about Grenada:

Why It Happened Luckily, the not feel the need to write a piece area. Grenada and its inhabitants and its inhabitants, who applicate in France are called Greeks. We at Moreover feel it is more inputant to look ahead to the next or failed. Our approach is After Grenada.

Brace yourselves for a wack. My information is that the personner due to be invaded is the United States.

The inhabitants of central set southern America, sick and tired of sing invaded by the gringos—the United States has landed troops there at kee 60 times in the last century - have in my decided to

Their mission will be easy is justify. They will simply claim that the bave come to depose an unpopular in wing regime imposed autocratically in a country where it is impossible in be president unless you are white make and a

Cynics will no doubt point that such an operation will need vill numbers of people, who could easil be spotted and that these people have thready arrived. Over the past few year several million people of Hispanic originave infiltrated their way into Americar society, so many that Spanish is the official language in many parts of the State I am surprised that nobody else has messed who they

They are fighters, ready for the signal to take up arms and overower their hosts, none of whom has an experience of being invaded and work not know what to do. But I am sure the most reasonable native Americans will be reassured by the promise of the inviders that they will go away again as sooras a stable society is set up, and as soon a the United States promises to give up its military operations in Latin Aierica.

Meanwhile, it explains why Russia is not unduly perturbed by the Grenadian or perhaps Grenadesque adventure. It explains why Mr Cairo took things so calmly. It explains by the Cuban exile economy is so strong in Miami, which is of course to be the new capital of the United States. It explains a great many thing, which I do not have space to go into here. My advie to Americans is simply to sit tight, say calm, buy your nutness well in divance, and learn Spanish. And remember that you read it

### Jan Morris and Simon Winchester

explore the buildings that are solid and sometimes extravagant chunks of England in India and linger over

verandah sundowners

# Bungalow builder

On a ridge - beside a river - in a tlowered suburb - on the desert's edge - there stands the home of the empire-builder! One building above all others stood for the intimate side of imperial life: the bungalow, was to remain for ever a symbol of the British in India. Before we explore Anglo-Indian domestic architecture any further, let us in an idle way, during a Saturday spin with Frank, briefly inspect this archetypal construc-

It stands, almost certainly surrounded by a walled compound, and whatever its size, it is likely to be built well away from its neighbours. Behind it, there beyond the banyan tree, its kitchen quarters are cluttered beneath a thin haze of wood-smoke; a gravel drive lined with flowerpots runs down to its front gate, which is guarded by fairly pompous gateposts and marked with its owner's name, G D TAPWORTH. It is a low oblong building, with a porte-cochère of some sort in front of it, probably entwined in creepers, and veran-dahs under deep eaves all around. Wicker chairs and tables, hammocks, sporting trophies and perhaps a ping-pong table are distributed around these stoeps, and beyond them in the shadows we may just catch a glimpse of chintz and flower-vases, or a glint of cutlery through an open french window. It is not a grand house, not architecturally anything special. but even from our distance on the road outside its character is unmistakable. It represents a culture of distinctive strength, however limited, a people of great

STONES OF EMPIRE. The Building of the Raj, by Jan Morris with Simon Winchester (Oxford Univer-sity Press £15) published November

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resolution, however dull. As long as the British in India are remembered at all, they will be remembered against the background of the bungalow, taking sundowners on its verandahs, playing badminton on its lawns, or -

Gosh darling, there's Muriel Tapworth now, just coming out of the drawing room. Step on it, for Heaven's sake, before she drags us in for tea . . .

'Bungle-ohs' The Anglo-Indian bungalow, was

evolved to make the best of things. It was called a bungalow probably because it was adopted from the Bengali patterns, and it was variously spelt bungalla, bangla, bungelow, banggolo, bangala and bungalo - "For Sale", said the Bombay Courier invitingly in 1793, "a Bungalo situated between the two Tombstones on the island of Coulaba". In the early years a bungalow generally meant a humble cutcha house, built of mud-brick or rushes, but later governors and even viceroys were not ashamed to sleep in one, and it was only when term came to England, at the end of the nineteenth century, that it acquired a faintly pejorative social meaning, as in "bungalow-land" or "bungaloid develop-

The first Anglo-Indian bunga-lows were pretty awful. In 1801 somebody defined them pithily as 'stationary tents run aground", and the explorer Richard Burton, in the 1840s, described the bungalow style simply as "a modification of the cow-house". Here and there even now you may still see an example still in use. It is likely to be an ng structure on one floor, its roof rising unsteadily to a pyramidical centre, its stepped verandah pillared with square mud columns and shaded by low caves. Its roof was doubtless thatched once, but is now of irregular rough tiles. It is a very primitive house, hardly more than a big but, and really does look, as a matter of fact, a bit like a cowhouse. With lesser regional differences (flat roofs in upper India, for instance, stilted floors in Assam) it was built in its thousands all over British India, generally containing a single square living-room and a bedroom opening off it, with the kitchen quarters in separate shacks.

Most such bungaiows were built as batchelor quarters (and they sometimes had a bibikhana tucked away behind, for the accommodation of native mistresses). When, especially after the advent of the steamship, more British women and children came to India, the form of a bungalow became rather more complex, and sundry changes were rung upon the theme. It





The cool life: (left) the verandah of a Paora bungalow and (right) a marble floor, top, and a verandah of a house in Secunderabad

remained nevertheless a simple structure to represent a great empire, and often struck visitors as quaint or even faintly comic, when they contrasted its modest arrangements with the flury of servants that surrounded it, the impressive space of its compound (fifteen times the area of the house was thought a proper proportion for officers' bungalows in 1925), and the almost limitless authority that it frequently housed. Until the end of the Empire it often had no running water, and in elegant city suberbs its toilet arrangements were generally limited to the noxious thunder-box. It did evolve, though, into more

pretentious versions of itself. Sometimes it just grew bigger. The bungalow of the Commissioner at Chittagong in the 1870s, for instance, was a hilltop structure that looked like four or five of the old-style structures put together thatched, even then, but surrounded by elaborate suc-cessions of verandahs and surmounted by a long balustrade ("I have never seen so lovely a place to look at", wrote its inhabitant in 1878, John Beame, "nor one so loathsome to live in . . ."). Such a house now was likely to have three or four bedrooms, with dressingrooms attached, a study, a playroom for the children, and a diningroom opening through an arch into the drawing-room, while a covered passage connected the serving pantry with the kitchen quarters at

the bottom of the compound. The bungalow became more stylish, too. The portico was the first sign of higher things: it could serve as a porte-cochère, or it could a mere extension of the verandah, and it did wonders for the dignity of the establishment, We see it in many kinds - flatroofed, ostentatiously pedimented, curiously gabled, trellissed all over to make

a sort of gazebo. Innumerable pots signed in the end by government were included, lying around on of chrysanthemums or geraniums architects, look most agreeable sofas or begging tithits at breakfast of chrysanthemums or geraniums often gave it charm. Castellation along the top sometimes gave it

Behind it the simple shape of the building could be further disguised with parapets, ornamental urns, turrets, wooden spikes, barge-boarding. Though bungalows gener-ally remained single-storeyed, clerestories made their rooms still higher and cooler, attics were sometimes added, and there could be terraces above their verandahs - "too high for one storey, too low for two", the journalist George Steevens thought they looked when he arrived in India in 1899. Elaborate fenestrations appeared. Regency fan-lights biossomed above heavy wooden doors, mullion windows framed stained glass representations of Ivanhoe or The Idylls of the King. A wonderful variety of accessories came to clothe the Anglo-Indian bungalow down the generations, and many architectural traditions were drawn upon - only the international style of the twentieth century was altogether ignored, the bungalow being, if entially rather formal, distinctly not formalist. By the time it came to the

building of New Delhi, in the 1920s, the bungalow had reached the climax of its development. Lutyens, who was responsible for the residential layout of the new capital, was not an admirer of British domestic arrangements in India, which he thought "extraordi-narily unintelligent": he liked to unintelligent"; he liked to scoff about "bungle-ohs", and his own designs for the capital's bungalows, which he wanted faced in marble, were rejected as too expensive. Nevertheless as you drive around the streets of New Delhi today the bungalows of the more senior officials, mostly de-

houses. Their gardens are lush and time mature by now. Creeper drifts into their wide verandahs. They are of the place where the British woman, all sizes, being graded according to in particular, could feel some the importance of their occupants, and in several styles too, but they nearly all give an impression of spacious and airy charm. it is a long their wares, without actually enter way from the stationary tent to ing the house proper. The watchthese handsome structures, some of them palatial in manner if not in scale, but still the line of descent is direct the British, having chosen the form of their housing in India in obliged to bring one of his native the seventeenth century, never colleagues home for a drink, it was devised a better one during the 300 subsequent years of their residence.

A diversion just for a moment, to consider the verandali. It was in some ways the most important part of the bungalow, fulfilling all sorts of socio-economic functions. Just occasionally it was rather a nuisance - Richard Burton, experiencing one during wet weather in the hills, said that it was "only of bridge it linked the rigid and calculated to render the interior of conventional life of the imperialist the domiciles as dim and gloomy as with the lost liberties of home; it can be conceived". But in two linked the rose petals of the particular ways it was essential to drawing-room with the dust and the purpose and significance of the dung fires of the land outside; and

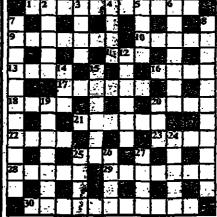
around on Everything was easyfurniture was meant for lounging. matting. Its pictures and trophies were beloved rather than precious. Funny old chairs lay round about, bamboo couches, rocking chairs sometimes, or sofas with wide arms for the accommodation of glasses Potted plants were everywhere, and here the little dogs of the household

tentative personal contact with the alien world of India outside. Here hawkers and tradesmen might bring man sometimes slept upon the verandah; the tailor was often to be seen cross-legged there in the afternoon. When Mr Tagworth felt upon the verandah that Muriel generally arranged things: and after dinner, as often as not, when the moon was high, the distant jackals were howling and there was a distant beat of drums from the bazaar, it was upon the verandah that the memsahib, already sketching out her entry for the day's journal, felt herself to be most truly amidst the romance of Old India.

In short, the verandah was a sort perhaps too, it tenuously joined the 16 Masticate First, it was the one place the dreams of the Anglo-Indians with 17. imperialists had just for messing the reality of their existences - for the reality of their existences – for 18 One overpar (4) on the verandah sometimes, with a 20 Wide-mounteding drink in one's hand or an (4) going about the verandah. Its drink in one's hand, or an furniture was meant for lonneine embroidery frame, friends to laugh Its floor was covered, if covered at with and faithful servants just out all, with the memsahib's least of sight, empire-building really valuable carpets, or with Chinese could seem, just for the moment, all it was cracked up to be.

Tomorrow General Kenan Evren. President of Turkey and military head of state, talks to Peter Nichols

### CONCISE CLOSSWORD (No (89)



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# **MODERN TIMES**



# sideways look at the British way of life

We all know the antiquarian squirrel who hoards Georgian silver, Art Deco vases, French porcelain or Bilston enamel boxes. They pore over auction catalogues, raid junk shops looking for bargains and boast how everthing they bought for £20 is now worth hundreds. In short, the Antiques Bore.

Well, as objects grow scarcer and prices soar, a new style of collector is flourishing. They prize things that other people spura - the apparently mundane, the trite, even the macabre.

I set out to meet these Don Quixotes of the collecting world. I had already heard about devotees of esoterica such as orange wrappers, Elvis Presleyiana, plastic garden gnomes, police truncheons, glove-stretchers and general kitsch.

A barbed-wire fetishist sounded interesting. But where? I remembered once seeing a framed selection of "original Wild West" strands in my New York publisher's office.

Alas, our largest Sheffield wire-suppliers told me: "The Americans have about 800 different types and even have formed a Barbed-Wire Collectors' Association. But there's not much scope here as we only made a handful" (sic).

Next I approached Maurice Rickards, the scholarly chairman of the Ephemera Society in Bloomsbury. His members are dedicated to the preservation, study and educational uses of . . . the minor documents of everyday life". In other word, the paper debris most of us - and our ancestors - have thoughtlessly thrown away.

Mr Rickards produced an 80-page magpie's directory of weird enthusiasms: from Victorian train tickets and cartes de visite to beer mats, advertising packaging, menus. Valentine cards, doctors' prescriptions, funeral cards, share certificates, ball programmes, billheads and cigar bands. "Most people who collect anything are slightly

dotty," he said. was intrigued to learn more about the

collection of eighteeth century transportation orders. "To be perfectly frank they're in such short supply I've only got nine," confessed a bluff Mancunian when I tracked him down, "You see most families didn't keep them".

Well, would you keep your father's committal papers to Brixton jail, let alone Botany Bay? My quest then took me to the kinkier shores of

Antique land. I discovered a Norfolk C of E vicar who surreptitiously collects Georgian snuffboxes. For close friends he will unscrew the lids. Hidden underneath are painted scenes which might make even Paul Raymond blush. (Who said we moderns invented pornography?).

There are also earnest collectors of wine and champagne labels, Whitbread inn signs, mangleboards, coal-hole covers, cracker charms and bird-calls. At Kensington Palace Princess Margaret even collects old gaming counters.

The current success of television's Antique Road Show has led to scores of edlerly suburban tricoteuses dreaming that their inherited Victorian tea pot-must be a prize piece. But who safeguards something apparently valueless? It won't appear in pukka antique shops, and the snotty girls behind

the front desk at Sotheby's and Christie's won't be interested.

Here again we find a growing phenomenon - the second-hand shop. A little smarter than the junk dealer or rag-and-bone man, they stock small everyday objects which still have some practical use - the last link in the house clearance chain after the dealers have stripped everything of any antique value.

These cheap and cheerful emporia are ideal for trufflers of mass-produced material from the 1950s and 1960s. Old Billy Fury 78 rpm records nuzzle beside jelly moulds, old-fashioned mincers, wooden breadboards and butter-pat spoons. Bundles of Photoplay, Picture Post and the Daily Sketch are still covered by the dust of their

previous attic repository.

The really dedicated hunter will scour the neighbour's junk room, poking through grandpa's old trunk, school tuckbox, and First World War Army kitbag. Where else could you find a ration book. Edwardian biscuit tin, 1920s nutmeg grater, haberdashery poster or pre-Yale front door key?

Richard Compton Miller

TRASH FAN

Christine Lindey

Strand art historian and collector of 1950s tat

"I fell in love with my husband

because of his blue suede shoes. But

1950s began when I was an art

student. I was always broke and so I

used to get my skirts for 2/6 at a

junk shop in Kilburn. Then I started

buying old magazines and knitting

were just considered working-class-

originally mass-produced Woollies

stuff - vases, travs, table mats, every

kind of crockery. All that brightly-

coloured plastic is quite scarce now

beautiful contemporary Scandina-

vian teak furniture. But the most

I've spent is £5 on a Parker-Knoll

chair. Actually a lot of things came

out of builders' skips.
"Fifties designs flow and use bold

primary colours and abstract motifs. I suppose it was a reaction

against the harsh war years and a return to frivolity. My black hand-

shaped ashtrays and plant holders

are really low taste, but I love them.

The stick-and-ball style of those wire

record stands and coat racks reminds me of a Barbara Hepworth

string sculpture. Saarinen was

another big influence.

Most of my friends can't understand my collection. They think it's trashy... boring. But kids

in their early twenties love it. They're all busy snapping up 1950s

clothes and accessories. I recently

saw my tenpenny salt and pepper shakers for £8 on a market stall.

"It takes about 20 years for a period to develop its own nostalgia."

Richard Compton Miller

Compton Miller's Who's Really Who was published last week by

Blond & Briggs. price £5.95

"I'd like to get my hands on the

as it wore out so easily.

Most of what I've collected was

patterns. No one valued them - they

passion for everything from the

# The throwaway lines



SWEEP STAKE Mervyn Jones.

Norfolk design consultant and brush collector

"Brushes are a totally neglected art form. You may think they're boring but what would life be without brushes? For personal hygiene, decorating, cleaning, road sweeping. even medicine.

'They've been used since the beginning of civilization. Look at the wall frescoes of the Sumerians, and the Egyptians' magnificent tomb and temple paintings. Yet virtually nothing has been recorded about them in books.

and joined a brush-making factory. It was clear that the old skills were tin-bound paint brushes, flower-pot no longer being carried on. The brushes, brooms and scrubbers."

owners then asked me to collate items sunable for the local Norwich

"My personal collection was expanded later when a friend of mine was changing his manufacturing methods and gave me his old examples and tools. My wife runs an antique shop which also produces fine examples. "I've got over 1.000 objects.

including documentary evidence of the trade. Pieces range from early Georgian nail brushes with bone handles to a sophisticated Victorian lady's ivory-backed vanity set.

Of course families always kept the silver, tortoiseshell or mother-ofpearl ones because they look so nice. It's the more mundane brushes "I started the collection in the late which have been forgotten and 1960s, I'd just left the Fleet Air Arm thrown away. But I value just as much for their social history the old



### HEAD HUNTER

Michael Alexander Beigravia writer, restauranteur and collector of skulls

"My first skull was sent to me one St Valentine's Day with an unsigned note saying: "See you soon." It's a young girl's - you can tell by the car cavity - with very pretty teeth. To he gets from Amsterdam Zoo - they liven her up I've placed blue come out all bleached. Michael marbles in the eye sockets and lent her an Old Harrovian cricket cap. "It's really a memento mori, as

beside her is an hourglass. This helps to remind me of the imminence of death when I get a bit

Golden lads and girls all must, As Chimney sweepers, come to dust"...

"Skulls are quite elegant objects. fascination. Note the smooth dome of the head and how the molars can be made to gnash against the uppers. "Look at that Tibetan monks' drum made from the tops of human skulls.

in New York. She looked at it and

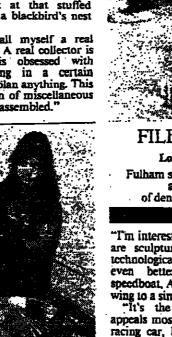
l wouldn't mind being put to good use after I'm gone.

"That rhesus monkey skull there reminds one of our affinity with the animal race. It's almost human. See that little parrot skull. Alas, poor Polly, it wasn't much loved I fear. I have lots more birds in Scotland . . . sheerwaters and suchlike.

"I haven't bought anything recently. But there's a Dutchman who prepares whole skeletons which Telfer-Smollett used to sell nice skeletons in Portobello Road.

"I nearly started a shop myself once, dealing in natural objects. I'm always picking up minerals, fossils, shells and coral. I like stuffed birds too - owls, herons, ducks and flamingoes. Look at that stuffed hedgehog raiding a blackbird's nest in the glass dome.

"I wouldn't call myself a real They hold a certain aesthetic collector, though. A real collector is someone who is obsessed with owning everything in a certain category. I never plan anything. This is just a collection of miscellaneous junk that one has assembled."



are sculptural but which have a dental lights on a central tower are technological base. If they move, wonderful period pieces and oceven better. Anything from a casionally a sitter will be subjected speedboat, Army tank or Concorde's to them. wing to a simple socket-head screw.

work on his patients. Bloody tell you. There were all sorts of metal drill pieces, oral picks, hypodermic syringes, sets of false

Twe got about 15 other hobbies. I

collect fruit and vegetable labels -

those stuck on to bananas, green

peppers, celery and melons. During the 1980 Winter Olympics one

company printed a series of 20 with

ce-skating tobogganing and other

sports on. I never buy them of

course - I just ask greengrocers.
I also like milk bottles - the ones

with advertisements on, like Typhoo

Tea. Wall's Sausages. Kellogg's Cornflakes. I search the jumble sales

looking for advertising coathangers 100 - names like Marks & Spencer,

Harrods or the grand hotels and

autographs. I've got 3.000 - more than anyone else, I think, under 16. I

belong to a special group which gets

staying. I've met them all - Sylvester

Stallone, Olivia Newton-John, Kirk

Douglas, Gloria Swanson,

weekly list of where the stars are

"My favourite collection is my

tailors. But I never steal them.

'They're all just objects really, but "I'm interested in any objects which sometimes have their uses. The

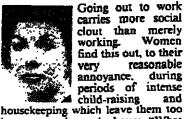
"It's the visual aspect which have to syringe out a liquid for a

racing car, but not to race it. For them lying around and think we that hand-built Belgian bike. It "I use the tiny mirror probes if the hangs on the wall outside my studio camera is at an angle and I can't see like an art object but has never been the calibration. The drills are good

"In the drawing room the dental My involvement with dental trolley makes the perfect drinks tray

# Home from home in the office

**Penny Perrick** 



Going out to work carries more social clout than merely Women working. find this out, to their very reasonable annoyance, during periods of intense

busy ever to leave the house. "What do you do?" someone will ask them conversationally. "I look after three pre school children, grow my own vegetables and make my own batik curtains," they will answer. "Yes, but what do you do?"

Yet other women who travel daily to an office to spend several hours to an othice to spend several hours telephoning their friends and mak-ing themselves nourishing mugs of Cup-a-soup are considered to be quite a little superwoman if, on arriving home, they find the strength to take something out of the freezer. I have been thinking about the unfairness of this after my first fulltime five-day stint in an office after two years of working from a desk wedged into a corner of my dining

What has struck me most is that office life, compared with home life, is no end of a treat. Offices have maintenance men and coffee machines and people who will look sharp about it if the cloakrooms run out of roller towels. How pleasant for the erstwhile home worker to shuck off her role as tea-lady and laundress the minute she steps into

the office life.

I am also getting very fond of the rituals associated with leaving home for the day - the shining of shoes, the smoothing of skirt, the waving of my brand new Travelcard which gives me instant entrée to the Piccadilly line. All these make one feel that the day has an adventurous

It is also much easier to increase one's output in an office. This is partly because office workers are assumed to have real jobs which they must be allowed to perform without interruption. I had just as many deadlines to meet during the years I worked - or, as some people would have it. "worked" - at home but because I was on site, everyone assumed that my working day was infinitely elastic. Supposedly on call to collect stuff from the dry-cleaner. receive visitors and take telephone messages during the day, I had to stay at my desk half the night.

Admittedly, sometimes distractions were of my own choosing. It's surprising how very attractive the thought of putting away all your summer clothes in plastic bags becomes when what you ought to be doing is writing 800 words on joint taxation. No wonder Jeffrey Archer gets right away from his riverside penthouse when he's working on the first draft of a novel. There's enough room in the flat for him, his word processor and reams of paper but, if he were to stay there, he's probably spend the working day rehanging the pictures.

In an office, it's harder to think of ways of wasting time. There are classic time-wasters called conferences, meetings, business lunches and deskside gossip sessions, but they all usually have some kind of work-connected result. Even when the important person you are taking out to lunch falls face downwards into his soup after too many gin and tonics, you can still tell yourself, in office parlance, that you are cultivating a long-term contact.

Just as I am starting to appreciate office comforts, more and more people are discovering the benefits of working at home. Of course, there are some: making important telephone deals while dressed unimpressively in your dressing-gown with calamine lotion on your spots: being able to keep half an eye on a leaky washing machine while you type, never having to breathe the rushhour air, which smells like the inside of a vacuum cleaner.

The traditional home-worker is no longer a lady badly paid piecework - knitting jumpers, filling envelopes or cutting out patterns -while she looks after her children. The telephone answering machine and desk-top copier have cleared the way for a more ambitious type of non-commuting person. Mr in-surance man works from home, as does a high-powered literary agent friend and a very organized woman who manages the professional affairs of several musicians.



### FILLING TIME

FROZEN ASSET

Ian Conrich (left)

North London schoolboy and

collector of iced-lolly wrappers

"I was aged seven when I started

collecting lollies. Now I'm 14 and

I've got 300, all with different

designs on and colours . . . series like Tom and Jerry, Star Wars, Space 99. Some I keep because of spelling mistakes, like the World War II

'To remove them without tear-

ing. I first put them on the boiler to

thaw, and then iron them flat. I also

keep the lolly sticks with jokes on.

I've got about 80. "But I don't eat

lollies myself - my friends do. That's

why I'm so thin and can run cross-

country for Enfield.

**Lord Settrington** Fulham still-life photographer and collector of dental paraphernalia

appeals most. I mean that I'd like a drinks advertisement. Strangers see Christmas my wife Sally gave me must be into really heavy drugs. ridden. I just admire the form of it, for prodding delicate objects on a set the engineering, the oval tubing. It's or as a screwdriver.

equipment came about when I and we also put the high-fi and needed a highly mobile table for telephone on it. still-life photography. I was chatting to my dentist who mentioned that he still had in storage all his father's grandfather (the Duke of Richmond

pre-war equipment. was the highchair the dentist used to bug from him."

uncomfortable, as my secretary will teeth, lovely boxes full of filling material and ointment jars - he let me pick what I wanted.

"The hypodermics are useful if we

"We've never had a dentist in the

and Gordon) was once an engineer. I When I saw it I flipped. There must have inherited the collecting



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time with beads and marbles. We used to swap them at schools. I've still got mine to this day. I then moved on to plastic charms in cereal packets and bubble-gum wrappers. matchboxes, but it got out of control. Now I use them for lighting

the gas. "Whenever I'm in a plane, train or restaurant I take four wrapped sugar-cubes. I've paid for them. haven't 17 The same with the soap and shoe-shine strips in hotels. I've got boxfulls. People bring me back cockiail sucks orange wrappers, unusuai champagne bottles as well.

WHEELER DEALER

Catherine Shakespeare-Lane

Nth London portrait photographer

and hub-cap collector

"Given any excuse I start collecting.

I always want to have a better and

bigger collection than anyone else.

"I began when I was six filling a

As I became older I started on

Perhaps it's not very nice of me.

"I started on hub caps after a friend was served breakfast on one

thought, how beautiful. We ended up importing 500 from a Chicago breaker's yard and selling them as fruit bowls, ashtrays or just decorations. If they're a bit battered, it's part of the mystique. "Look at the Plymouth Road-Runner up there on the wall. It's my

favourite as it has such perfect lines. That early-1960s Cadillac is good for fruit with its deep dish and also has a smooth bottom so it won't damage your table.

This Studebaker is pretty old. I love the idea that my beloved Elvis Presley could have ridden in it See how beautifully made and well designed that 1950s one is. It's like the spiked wheels of Boudica's chariot, but no one knows who made it.

"I used to have 20 hanging in the wall. But I always said I'd take them down if one fell on mc. One did and so down they came. But I'd never part with those ones. We still have a few left for sale.

"I can't explain this desire to keep accumulating rubbish. There is something of a librarian in me - I like cataloguing things. People who collect are meant to be insecure."



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Fawkes Dav.

do that

Hay, you

down here

by Celia Curtis

The self-proclaimed king of Hay-on-

of Records recognized as owning the

largest second-hand bookshop in the

world, may be deposed on Guy

Behind the plot is Leon Morelli, a

London School of Economics

graduate, who heads a vast London-

based international mail distri-

bution service. Morelli, reputedly a

millionaire, arrived in the sleepy

Welsh border town of Hay three

years ago when Booth's business was

going through a financial crisis. He bought for £100,000 Booth's prime site in the centre of town, the former

Plaza cinema, complete with half his

king Richard the announced the independence of Hay six years ago on April Fool's Day) believed that

Morelli agreed that the two business-

es would be complementary, specia-

lizing in different subject areas, but

instead apparently went into compe-

ution with Booth's 20-year-old business and lured away many of his employees with offers of higher

Morelli now has his commercially astute eye on Hay Castle, perched on

a prime site plumb in the middle of

town, with crumbling Norman

ramparts looming over a maze of

Booth bought the castle in 1964 for about £7,000 and lives in a trugally furnished extension. In 1978 fire destroyed the roof. But

renovation continues and Booth

promises to open the castle to the public and make it available for

Booth's junior, launched a poster

campaign challenging the "mon-

arch" to reroof the castle by November 5 and threatening that if

this were not done a vote would be

held to decide who should be king.

Last week, on one of his infrequent visits to Hay, Morelli put

the finishing touches to his modern

version of the Guy Fawkes plot

Today, all 1,800 households in Hay

will receive a message asking: "Is

Hay-on-Wye one man's self-declared

kingdom' or another man's fondest

dream?" Hay residents are expected

to vote by throwing a dart, either at a caricature of the "king" or a portrait of Morelli. The incentive of

a free glass of sherry is offered to

Asked whether his message hid a

desire to succeed to the throne and

possibly to take over the castle,

Morelli replied that he had made a

good offer for the castle which Booth

In the bar of the Black Lion.

Booth admitted he was not amused.

He had once considered Morelli to

be a friend, but now wanted nothing more to do with him. "If he thinks

he can buy the friendship and loyalty of the townspeople, he has made a grave misjudgment", he

on the map since he arrived in 1961. a history graduate from Oxford. He

opened a small second-hand book-

shop with about 3.000 paperbacks

and in the course of time acquired

some warehouses, the former fire

station an old workhouse, a butcher's shop, the Plaza cinema and the castle, filling them all to overflowing with books. He said that

books are a tourist attraction and that he wanted to give bookselling a carnival image. "I think a town where the bookshops are bigger than

the supermarkets can be a big

Booth does not shirk the over-

statement. Since that outline of his

book-selling philosophy, he has moved on to promoting a rural

revival movement, the objects of

which he details in a series of

pamphlets with such titles as Bring

Back Horses and Why Woolworth

will destroy Brecon. He has also declared war on the local branch of a

supermarket because he believes

that the town's culture is threatened

by the food the supermarket imports

into the town. He is working on a

scheme to promote the reintroduc-

tion of local milk, cheese, eggs and

butter to rebuild the Hay economy.

BARRY FANTON!

Undoubtedly, Booth has put Hay

those who aim at Booth.

had turned down.

This summer Morelli, five years

narrow, winding streets.

local functions.

you can borrow his copy of the Booker prizewinner when he's finished not reading it'

As MPs debate cruise, John Barry examines Moscow's missile offer.

# Andropov's disappearing trick

missile negotiations, announced by Yuri Andropov on October 27, is interesting as much for what it does not say as for what it does.

It is the outcome of a review by Moscow of the whole Euromissile issue, which has been so difficult and so drawn-out that the Soviet delegation at Geneva has been Wve. Richard Booth, the 45-year-old without negotiating instructions eccentric whom the Guinness Book since mid-October

All the signs are that within the Kremlin the question of a possible Soviet compromise on the issue has become an element in Andropov's internal struggle to consolidate his own power. (Senior Soviet officials close to him have said as much in private conversations in Western Europe within the past fortnight).

Analysis of Andropov's latest offer suggests that he has failed to win the authority over his colleagues that he seeks. The evidence for this is that the offer is so much less than Soviet sources have been hinting Andropov himself wanted to pre-

The clue to all this is a series of unreported events behind the closed doors of the Geneva talks.

Since the start of real negotiations early in 1982, the pattern of these talks has been two months in session, followed by a two-month recess to take stock. The latest round, the sixth, should have begun in mid-September but, at Soviet request, started 10 days earlier, on September 6. The usual pattern would therefore dictate a recess some time between November 6 and 16. And, early in the round, the chief Soviet negotiator. Yuli Kvitsinsky. pressed his American counterpart, Paul Nitze, to agree on a closure date.

This round at Geneva is the last before the first batch of Nato's Pershing-2 and cruise missiles are due to enter service on or about December 15. On November 19, the main West German opposition party, the SPD, is due to decide its attitude to these deployments, and on November 21 comes the Bundestag debate in Bonn on whether Germany should accept the Nato missiles.

Chancellor Kohl is said to be confident he will win the Bundestag debate. But he has urged; and West Germany's Nato partners have accepted, that the West should keep the Geneva talks going, if at all possible, while these debates take

So. at Geneva, Nitze refused Kvitsinsky's request for a recess date. Nitze said he was prepared to negotiate right up to Christmas if that would bring an agreement any closer. To underline the point, the US delegation then prepared a work schedule for the round, setting out an agenda for each meeting - and taking the round through to December 15.

Kvitsinsky then revealed that he could agree to this schedule only up to October 12. By then, he said, Moscow would have taken a decision on its next move.

One of Moscow's options, of course, was to break off the talks. Fear that this might indeed be the Soviet decision explains a flurry of predictions of a possible Soviet walk-out which emanated from Nato headquarters in Brussels on October 10 and 11.
The October 12 deadline in fact

passed without incident. Kvitsinsky said the review of policy in Moscow was taking longer than expected, and he gave the end of October as the new deadline for a decision by the



Soviet leadership. While he waited for that, however, Kvitsinsky had no negotiating brief: his instructions had expired on October 12.

Soviet sources in Western Europe now hint that the policy review in Moscow was a fundamental one. They even ask: "What do we want the SS-20s for, anyway?" In terms of negotiating tactics. Nato sources seem fairly confident that two separate questions were asked. In crude terms, would a significant Soviet concession now buy a deal acceptable to Moscow before Nato's scheduled December deployment deadline? If not, was it worth offering such a concession to buy a postponement of that deadline, in the hope that further political pressure on Wesfern Europe over the coming months might force a change in Nato's position?

In late September, it looked as if the Soviet leadership was about to decide that a significant concession would be worthwhile. Nato sources say that Alexander Bovin, a commentator on *Izvestia* who is been unable to persuade his very close to Andropov - a drinking-colleagues in the Politburo to accept commentator on Izvestia who is companion of long standing - dropped a hint that Moscow might cut its SS-20's trained on Western Europe to 80 or fewer in exchange for zero Nato deployments.

But as the policy review overran

days ago, Nato sources were fairly sure that the most Andropov was going to be able to offer was a concession aimed at winning a postponement of Nato's December deadline. There was even a good idea of what Andropov wanted to

Nato's actual deployments in December will total 41 missiles: one squadron of nine Pershing-2s in West Germany; two squadrons of 16 cruise missiles apiece in Britain and Italy. The offer Andropov was expected to make was that the Soviets would "liquidate" 41 of its SS-20s within range of Western Europe if Nato would postpone these deployments. Even the timing of this offer was predicted: he was to announce it in a speech in Sofia on

Andropov did not however go to Sofia. He did not make his speech. (His health may explain that). Instead, he has announced Moscow's new offer in an interview in Pravda. And it emerges that he has any of the concessions he is said to have wanted.

Culled from the official Tass text of his Pravda interview, the deal Andropov has been given authority to offer boils down to the following: its mid-October deadline, the pros-pect of this concession faded. By 10 • Equality of warheads as between the European SS-20s and the British

and French missiles. There is nothing new here, except that; Andropov claims this means the USSR could have in Europe about 140 SS-20 launchers". Previous versions of this offer - it was first publicly broached by Andropov last December - have suggested a total of 162.SS-20s. In effect, Andropov is now offering to reduce that number

● A freeze on SS-20s in the Soviet Fat East. This is new and significant. Its impact is muted, however, by two points. First, the freeze would come into effect only from the "entry into force" of any agreement. In the meantime, the Soviets can make haste to start building as many SS-20 bases in the Far East as they choose and, under previous Soviet freeze rules, those bases would then be entitled to install their complement of SS-20s. (Three new bases are already under construction in the Soviet Far East). Second, though the phrasing of the Tass text is ambiguous, Andropov seems to be saying that the freeze would be conditional upon the US accepting not merely a ban on any missiles of its own in the Far East (a prohibition Washington would accept), but also a ban ou modernizing US aircraft based within range of the Soviet Far East.

• A bandonment of the 300 total systems. Again, Andropov's wording is ambigious but it could be significant. All previous Soviet offers have said that both missiles and aircraft must be limited (a position Nato now accepts) and that the total of missiles plus aircraft in Europe must be no more than 300 by 1990 (a position Nato does not accept). Moscow now seems to have dropped this: Andropov offers "equal total levels of medium-range delivery aircraft in a mutually acceptable quantitative range, even though substantially differing from the one proposed by us earlier" which suggests the abandoning of the 300 limit.

So, if those interpretations are correct, it is an interesting and serious package. But it is nothing like as radical as Soviet sources had led Nato to expect. And, of course, the price of any deal remains what it has always been: zero Nato deployments. The most fascinating aspect of the Pravda interview is how much of it is taken up with Andropov's explanations of why he is not offering more. It is as if he is sending

Andropov goes out of his way to explain why Moscow has decided not to offer "a unilateral reduction of its missiles in Europe" - in other words, the SS-20s - to induce a postponement of Nato's own deployments. Having argued that the withdrawal of the SS-4s and "more than one dozen" of the SS-5s do constitute unilateral reductions, he goes on to say: "There are no signs at all that the United States would be prepared to forgo such a deployment (of Pershings and cruise missiles) if the Soviet Union continued further to reduce unilaterally its missiles."

In other words, the Soviets have concluded that a postponement would buy them nothing, unless lso to offer s consessions - Nato's right to deploy which they still find themselves unable to agree among themselves. It is the nearest we are likely to get to a public admission that the Soviets' political campaign in Western Europe has failed.

But where does all this leave Yuri

## Gerald Kaufman

# Invade in haste, repent at leisure

Hon Members: "Nonsense".

That was how Hansard recorded jeers by some Conservative MPs during Denis Healey's speech in the emergency debate last week. What irked them was the doom-laden warning delivered by the Shadow foreign secretary: "If there is not an immediate withdrawal of foreign troops from Grenada, the fighting

may go on for months." Clearly, those Tories felt that Mr Healey was exaggerating, and that a swift, surgical operation by the Americans would not only subdue resistance in Grenada but also enable an orderly and that a enable an orderly and uncompli-cated withdrawal after a decent

Sadly, the experience of many years and many places is on the side of Mr Healey. Military actions, expected at the outset by their originators to be swift and relatively painless, sometimes drag on for years. Even on the occasions when the actual fighting ends quickly and in success, political commitments may bog down the victors.

The United States first sent "advisers" into Vietnam in April 1956. Before long thousands of American servicemen were enmeshed there, and the numbers went on increasing. The United States presence was brought ignominiously to an end 19 long years after it began, and by then 47,232 American servicemen had lost their lives.

In December 1979 Russian troops moved into Afghanistan, responding
in words which uncannily
anticipated the reasons offered by
the White House for going into Grenada - to an "insistent request" from the Afghan government "to give urgent political, moral and economic aid, including military aid". Nearly four years later the Russian forces are still there; between 4,000 and 10,000 of them

In June 1982 the Israel Defence Forces (as, in this context ironically, they are officially named) invaded Lebanon in what was expected to be a speedy operation which would create a buffer zone to protect Galilee from terrorist attacks. The mopping-up force turned unwilling-ly into an army of occupation, and 517 of Israel's servicemen have so far been shot or blown up. It is a campaign which continues to this day, even though Mr Shamir's government is as desperate to end it. All of these were military campaigns which aroused fierce controversy. However, even operations widely accepted as necessary can have unforeseen and disheartening consequences, When, as a result of a request from the Northern Ireland government (then based upon an elected Parliament at

Stormont), British troops went into

Catholics and Protestants alike as

upholders of law and order. Fourteen years later, law and order in the Six Counties are in no better snape, the British troops are still there, not only reviled but under armed attack from extremists in both communities, and the death toll of members of the Army and Ulster Defence Regiment has

reached 504. Throughout much of the democratic world, the British expedition to retake the Falkland Islands from the Argentine aggressors was regarded as justified. The campaign lasted only a few weeks and ended in total victory, even though 237 British servicemen were killed. However, more than 16 months after the Argentine surrender British troops remain marooned in the Falklands.

No one has the faintest idea when it will be possible to withdraw them, and massive sums are being speak on providing a military infrastructure, even though it is aimost universally accepted that Britain's position on the islands is ultimately untenable.

Military actions, entered into unthinkingly or even blithely, can have disastrous consequences for those who initiate them. True, Margaret Thatcher profited politically from the Falklands war. Lyndon Johnson, on the other hand, was destroyed by Victnam Menachem Begin left office in despair as Israel's Lebanon entanglement dragged on and on Anthony Eden was forced out as Prime Minister after the invasion of Egypt in 1956 ended in ignominy.

The lesson of all of these

operations is simple and grim. It is easy to decide to embark upon a military action, whether for the best of reasons or from motives manifestly less noble. Ending the action is a good deal more complicated even when, as in Lebanon but not in Vietnam - the invading army is in a strong position. In cases where the armed operation can be tidily concluded, as in the rare example of the Falklands, the military involvement is not necessarily brought to an end and may be succeeded by an almost insoluble political problem.

Grenada is the latest of a long series of small or weak states which have been turned into a battleground by a powerful nation acting unilaterally, and often in contra-vention of international law. President Reagan may be full of bravado for the time being. Like others who have launched into military action in a mood of ebullient confidence and self-justification, however, he may find that what began as a shortterm solution can turn into a long-

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### Anne Sofer

# A German lesson tor our schools

Anyone who believes there is a connexion between educational standards and economic output will read with gloom a recent comparative study of English and West German schooling standards published by the National Institute of Economic and Social Research Schooling Standards in Britain and Germany by S. J. Prais and Karin Wagner. (If I were a Scot, I would bridle at that "British"; the Scottish system of education needs to be

Put baldly we are doing very badly. Among the conclusions are that "about half of all German pupils compared with a quarter of all pupils in Britain achieve a standard equivalent to a broadly-based O-level", first in mathematics the German system has raised the level of attainment of its weakest 50 per cent of pupils to about that of the average pupil in England" and that "those in the lower half of the ability-range in England appear to lag by the equivalent of about two years' schooling behind the corresponding section of pupils in

Germany".

The West German system is selective - but so also were the schools from which most of the English data came. Nor is it a "trendy versus traditional" argument - though the extremely wide range of the typical English maths syllabus for the lower half of the syllabus for the lower half of the ability range draws critical comment in passing. It is a question, essentially, of expectations and targets; of attitudes and motivation. The Germans operate a system in which the great majority are expected to achieve a certificate of the control of the c standard - in other words to succeed. We have never in this country accepted that such a thing might be possible ("Exams that everyone can pass? What nonsense!"') It is instructive to read the

Norwood report, submitted to the Ministry of Education in 1943 on suggested changes in the secondary school curriculum and examinations. In describing the "type of pupil" for whom the secondary modern school and later the lower streams of comprehensive schools were intended to cater, the authors of the report seem almost to be describing some Caliban-like imbecile rather than one half of the population of an advanced indus-trial nation. "He finds little attraction in the past ... and fails to relate his knowledge to other branches of activity. Abstractions mean little to him, His horizon is near and, within a limited area, his movement is generally slow." And anybody who thinks we have moved beyond these assumptions, should consider our present examination system which is specifically intend-ed to exclude the "bottom 40 per cent"...

This same research document also reports that at the very highest level - the 5 per cent in England who continue with mathematics up to Alevel - our performance outstrips West Germany's. And my greatest fear is the thought that the conservative (with both a large and a small "c") academic establishment will scan the report, sigh with relief and say "Well, all those comprehensive school teachers seem to be making a mess of it, but we're still

What we have somehow got to persuade them is that it is the very preeminence of this top 5 per cent that has directly led to the inadequacy of the other 95. As the report politely puts it: "The exceptionally high quality of the very best... has hindered a proper assessment of what is provided for those below the top.

Why do we have a chronic shortage of good maths teachers? Because the 5 per cent who have studied the subject to A-level, and the very much smaller percentage who have continued with it up to degree level, can mostly find more lucrative employment than schoolteaching. Why cannot a larger proportion reach that level? Because the university establishment, in particular its science and maths faculties, have for 20 years fought a. successful rearguard action against the introduction of a broader A-level curriculum like the French Bacca-laureat or the German Abitur, which would oblige all candidates at this level to continue their study of

The bottom half of the pupil population is failing so abysmally because they are subject to an examination system which is designed to pick out the brightest and fail the rest. It is not a system which sets targets or criteria and then tries to get the maximum number of children up to them. O-level is deliberately set so that only a quarter of the whole age group is capable of passing. It is like the exercise that used to be done in formal sympastic drills the children formal gymnastic drill: the children line up next to each other and then move an arm's length apart. The fixed point is the most able - all the rest shuffle down.

This is not a plea to remove competition from the education system but to change some basic assumptions. After all, practically all our children can, by the time they are eight or nine, read, write and cope with simple arithmetic - achievements that were thought appropriate only for a small elite a few hundred years ago. It is only our continuing clitist assumptions that are blocking a comparable boisting of average standards now.

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# Robert Fisk on the high stakes in the Lebanon reconciliation talks



Nine men are due to sit down in one

of Geneva's best hotels today and

try to reconstruct Lebanon. There

will be a lot of memories at the

table, and ghosts as well.

For the families that ruled Lebanon back in 1943, when its

National Covenant was agreed, still

largely control the country. Pierre

Gemayel, a Christian Maronite who

Covenant, the carefully constructed

system of power-sharing that gave

the Christians the presidency be-

cause the 1932 census showed them

to be in a narrow majority.

An even younger Camille Chamoun also helped, and so did a

Christian from northern Lebanon

named Hamid Franjieh. Saeb

Salam, an enterprising Sunni Mus-

lim businessman whose father had

been a parliamentarian in the

Ottoman empire, played a minor role, although the rather haughty

Druze leader Kemal Jumblatt stood

Gemayel, father of President Amin

Gemayel, will be there today. So will Chamoun and Saeb Salam. Hamid

Franjieh's brother Suleiman will be

there, representing the Christian

Maronite and pro-Syrian opposition to the President. Walid Jumblatt,

whose father was assassinated six

It should be quite a party and it

proves two things: that with the men

who failed Lebanon now trying to

rebuild it, the chances of success do not look very high: and that Lebanon, despite its veneer of

governed not by social consensus

parliamentary democracy,

years ago, is in Geneva.

but family consensus.

The frail and elderly Pierre









Five key figures at Geneva: Amin Gemayel, Camille Chamoun, Suleiman Franjieh, Saeb Salam and Walid Jumblatt

# Who will top the table?

this. A 30-minute chat with Jumbiatt, he has said, will clear up the symbol of Maronite ascendancy had been inspired by the Nazi rallies in 1936, had a hand in framing the

Amin Gemayel rose through the Phalange but has ostensibly shaken off his Phalangist connexions. He knows he has to to make concessions, but wants to minimize them for fear of losing any residual influence over the Phalangist militias. He hopes to preserve the present system of government to keep the presidency in Christian Maronite hands, even though the Maronites are now a minority.
Under the 1943 Covenant, the

presidency became Maronite but the prime minister was to be Sunni Muslim, the Speaker of Parliament a Shia Muslim, and the army chief of staff a Druze, under a Maronite commander. A similar pattern embraced all the ministries.

There was, however, no census after 1943 - there had been none since 1932 - since the Christians were not keen to have their minority status confirmed. Yet the system continued in the interests of domestic peace.

Amin Gemayel now thinks he can get away with mere tinkering with this system. But Jumblatt, Franjieh and the former Prime Minister Rashid Karami, all allied to the pro-Syrian National Salvation Front, favour a prime ministerial government, giving real power to the Sunni Amin Gemayel obviously believes Muslim premier and reducing the

with none of the substance. The Deuxieme Bureau security apparatus, now run by former Phalangists, would thus fall within Muslim control

There will also be proposals at Geneva for a senate, chosen on the basis of sectarian representation, which would have a veto over the lower house. This would provide genuine parliamentary democracy while retaining a generally Muslim veto over legislation. The Shia Muslims, deprived and

poor but, at 1.200,000 the largest religious community, will have Nabih Berri to represent them. The government hopes to satisfy him with a ministry. The Suani elite have always believed that the Shia can be bought. Mr Berri might prove them wrong.

But the internal struggle is only one of the conflicts which will influence the Geneva discussions. The Israeli-Syrian battle will also figure. Apart perhaps from Chamoun, Israel has few friends at the talks; but the Syrians will not only have their Lebanese friends there - a Syrian government representative

will be present. Just what the Syrians will demand is not known, although they have made no secret of their intention to destroy all Lebanon's links with the Israelis. So the National Salvation

Front is expected to insist on the abrogation of the May 17 unofficial peace treaty between Israel and The Syrians would rather like Karami to be the next prime

minister. As a Syrian protege, he would head a government falling deeply within Damascus's shadow.

The Americans probably accept that Israel's influence has ended as surely as its military adventure has collapsed. According to the Leba-nese historian Kemal Salibi the Americans would like a settlement as soon as possible. "But they are worried that they may lose Lebanon. Lebanon is the gateway to the Arab world, which Israel is not". Washington is thus putting pressure on Gemayel to make concessions. If the United States applies too little pressure - or if Syria applies too much - the conference will fail

in its objectives. But the Americans. meanwhile, have found another conflict in Lebanon. President Reagan sees it as part of the East-West struggle. Inevitably, American credibillity is now at stake. The problem is that Mr Reagan has also placed his country foursquare behind Gemayel, whose

legitimacy has become America's legitimacy in Lebanon. While the American naval bombardment of Souk el-Gharb last month saved the Lebanese army and thus 'the government's own legality, it also committed Washington to Lebanon's internal battle - and to last week's suicide bombings.

A failure at Geneva will draw the US deeper in Syria's ambitions will remain unsatisfied and it will thus require further prestige from Soviet arms and Soviet assistance. So the US-Soviet strugle' is also being fought out at Geneva.

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# NATO AND THE CARIBBEAN

There has been in Western Europe an indifference to developments in the Caribbean which was eventually bound to create tension within the North Atlantic Alliance. Stability in the Caribbean basin and the Gulf of Mexico is important to Nato for two reasons. The first, and most obvious, is that if the United States is distracted by what it feels to be a threat in a more vuinerable area closer to home than Europe it will have less time and effort to spend contributing to the security of West Europe or the Middle East. Secondly, in strictly logistical terms, the Caribbean basin and the Gulf of Mexico are important because in a European emergency at least 40 per cent of all American supplies and reinforcements for Europe are destined to pass that way. Thus the more that the Soviet Union and Cuba penetrate that area, the less secure a source of strategic supplies it would become.

If the broad purpose of the Alliance is to be sustained and strengthened these American preoccupations with Central American stability have to be more fully understood in Western Europe - Britain included. The result of continued indifference can only be a repetition of the communications failures and embarrassments of the Grenada operation. That, at least in the short term, will have given a new lease of life to the not-so-latent anti-Americanism evident both on the left and on the far right of British and most West European politics.

In the Caribbean Britain's departure and subsequent indifference had created a power vacuum. Whitehall was even agitating to remove the small British force in Belize, in spite of the American misgivings. There was little case law of Anglo-American cooperation and a wholly different emphasis as to the area's strategic importance to cach ally.

Developments in Grenada and the fears of governments throughout the Association of East Caribbean States can now be scen to have given Washington more grounds for believing that an intervention would be legitimate than at first appeared. In international law an unsolicited armed intervention in a neighhouring country was clearly wrong, unless the intervening, serves to substantiate the validi-

For a very long time the Church

of England has taken the view

that it could not at the same time

maintain its doctrine that mar-

riage is or ought to be indissol-

uble while permitting those who

had been divorced to marry

again under the church's auspic-

cs. Any compromise on the

latter, even in the hardest of hard

cases, would weaken this public

witness. This proposition, how-

ever, has been eroded more

recently by others no less

persuasive: that the church must

witness to the mercy as well as

the justice of God; that forgive-

ness and new beginnings are

always possible, and those who

have fallen from grace should be not condemned but helped and

This argument finally per-suaded the General Synod in

July to agree in principle that

there were certain circumstances

in which the church should

marry divorced persons, and it

commissioned the preparation of

draft proposals for a scheme to

carry this change of policy into

effect. Now the synod meeting

next week has to decide whether

the scheme, as drafted, does what it wishes it to do. Will it

The answer, give or take some

rough justice, is probably that it

will. A devout church-goer, one

who has been abandoned by a

spouse without good cause, who

has fulfilled such outstanding

family obligations as are possible

and who humbly accepts a share of responsibility for past failure;

identify the worthy cases?

encouraged.

state could show that its own nationals were at risk. That is how the operation was first presented. Since then Sir Paul Scoon, the Governor General has emerged from hiding. His reserve powers to take the action he has and is taking - including a request for armed assistance are quite incontestable. His emergence has put the matter in

a different light. As the sole remaining constitutional personality in Grenada he is entitled to use his perogative to confer legitimacy, even retrospectively, on the whole operation, without reference to anybody including the Queen who, under the Grenadan constitution, had delegated full powers to him except when she is herself in Grenada. Sir Paul has been criticized for not contacting Buckingham Palace before taking any action. On the contrary, he had no need to do so and was well advised to leave Buckingham Palace right out of it. Sir Geoffrey Howe yesterday on the television appeared to

perpetuate the impression that the British government feels at best dismissive to Sir Paul's role in the crisis, and at worst incredulous. Sir Geoffrey maintained his view that the Americans had not yet adequately justified the intervention. Perhaps he is still the victim of British pique that the Governor General's appeal for assistance was made ultimately to the United States and not to Britain. The logic of the Foreign Office's position, where officials decline to authenticate the approaches made by Sir Paul to the Dominican Prime Minister and others, is that because he did not ask British diplomats for help, he did not ask anybody. That is a sad relic of a colonial attitude to the West Indian states which seems in Whitehall to have outlived any worthier sense of responsibility.

It would be a pity if ignorance, indifference and now irritation were to blight Britain's capacity to contribute whole-heartedly to the urgent work of reconstruction which is now required in the East Caribbean. The difficult task ahead will be for Grenada's colleagues in the Commonwealth to facilitate a political convalescence in such a way that the democratic help both of Grenada and her neighbours

REPEATABLE MARRIAGE VOWS

could apply under this system with confidence: one whose

church's time. Some cases will

fall in the middle, but the

church's pastoral instinct would

be to give the benefit of the

doubt in favour of the applicant;

and the scheme avoids a legal-

istic approach, and the kind of

alleged against the Roman Cath-

There are two further tests

which these proposals will have

to pass, however. Divided as it is

both on the wisdom of this step

and on the fundamental theology

of marriage, the Church of England must look to its own

unity. Proposals utterly rejected

by a significant minority could

do considerable harm. The

discipline required by these proposals demands wide agree-

ment if it is to hold. Fortunately

they have been drafted very

much with the known views of

the church's dissenters in mind,

to accommodate all but the

strictest indissolublists. The

Archbishop of Canterbury had justice behind his recent com-

plaint that the draft scheme was

The second test is that of

natural justice, and here the

scheme is defective. Because

permission for a second marriage

in church is described as a dispensation, and what is

being sought is not a right, the

scheme makes no provision for

appeal, nor even for a rejected

being condemned unseen.

olic nullity system.

attitudes are at the opposite them. What is missing is not extreme would be wasting the a whole apparatus of formal

hair-splitting which is sometimes of the facts are ambivalent. The

ty of the military operation which has just occurred.

In the House of Commons today these events will inevitably be connected with the decision to proceed with the introduction of cruise missiles. It is important, however, to avoid making any such facile connexions. The kind of procedures which govern the stationing of American missiles in this country are totally different from those which were lacking in the consultation about the Caribbean. There are no grey areas. There is case law covering the Anglo-American nuclear partnership for more than 30 years, enshrined in memoranda, and rearticulated with every changeover in the White House and Downing Street. It is agreed formally that American weapons based in Britain cannot be used without the consent of the British Prime Minister. American aircraft, armed with nuclear weapons, have been operating from British airfields at least since they were evicted from France in the mid 1960's, without Mr Denis Healey, even when he was Secretary of State for Defence, raising any of the objections he raises now.

Ultimately the Alliance will survive on the basis of mutual confidence or it will die. At the heart of that confidence lie the nuclear arrangements, both between the United Kingdom and the United States, and between the United States and her other allies. However rational and clear cut those arrangements are, confidence is ultimately an emotional commitment by each nation and its leaders. That is why the attempts to undermine European confidence in the United States are so often couched in the way most likely to play on people's emotions, through the portrayal of President Reagan as some kind of cowboy, or worse - but hardly less frequently - as the mirror image of President Andropov. It is a false picture and would any way be irrelevant since the nuclear arrangements have already outlived many Presidents and Prime Ministers, some better and some worse than President Reagan and Mrs Thatcher. With patience and optimism on both sides of the

Atlantic they should outlive

applicant-couple to be told the

terms of the verdict against

appeal, but an opportunity for an

independent review by some

impartial authority, including

the opportunity to explain points

In marriage breakdown many

synod would do well to incorpor-

ate an umpire into its scheme,

for it must take every precaution

to diminish the inevitable sense

of injustice in those who are

refused. Further to that, it should

also be possible for permission to

be granted for a marriage in

church subject to certain con-

ditions, for example that dis-putes concerning matrimonial property or maintenance should

be settled first. The possibility of

conditional consent is a surpris-

ing omission, as it may lead to a

refusal in certain cases where

some unsatisfactory detail could

Minded as it now is to proceed

in this direction, the General

Synod has a workable method at

hand for doing so, improvable

but workable as it stands, and

capable of keeping the church

together as it proceeds into

uncharted waters. Whether it

will in the long run undermine

the church's witness to the

permanence of marriage is a

gamble the Synod has already

decided to take, and is an

well be put right in good time.

in the original particulars.

Yours etc. The Press Council. 1 Salisbury Square, EC4, October 28.

### **Battle for Hastings**

From Councillor D. J. Amies Sir. Your leader of October 21 suggested that the Government should close the "anomalous" Tonbridge to Hastings railway line despite objections from well-heeled commuters. Prior to the recent general election the Government promised substantial investment in the line to provide an improved service to the now impoverished town of Hastings - the Jarrow of the South-east.

To close this line would be a double tragedy for the eastern half of the area governed by East Sussex County Council. Starved of capital investment by that authority over the last ten years the area now has an adult male unemployment rate of around 20 per cent. Any prosperity that remains is to a large extent dependent upon the fast rail service to London, both for commuting and for day trips to Hastings.

The local Conservative MPs have been assured that the line will remain open and have conveyed this view to the electorate. Meanwhile the asbestos-ridden rolling stock is slowly breaking down, like other promises from this Government. I remain, Sir, your obedient servant,

DAVID AMIES, 14 Fayre Meadow, Robertsbridge, East Sussex.

October 22.

### Pricing gas

Sir, It is true, as Mr W. G. Jewers implies (October 14), that the Gas Corporation is not burdened with interest payments, but it is burdened with a Government levy of £525m which, if it was interest, would service a debt of some £4bn. Their profit and loss account would be no worse off if the corporation had such a debt, and the consumers would be £4bn better off. So prices could have been less by this amount over the

The corporation is pursuing a high profit policy which would not have been allowed by private utility companies before nationalisation.

Cheap gas would put pressure on the generating board to reduce prices and this in turn would put pressure on the coal board to sell coal at

With the resources of natural gas, oil and coal that we possess, our energy costs should be amongst the cheapest in the world. Yours faithfully, IAN MORROW. 41 Bishopsgate, EC2.

# LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Sites for radioactive waste disposal

From Mr David R. Cope

Sir. The most disturbing aspect of

yesterday's announcement (report,

October 26) that two sites in

England are candidates for the

possible disposal of intermediate-

level nuclear waste is that the Secretary of State for the Environ-

ment appears to have failed

completely to learn any lessons from

the events following the selection of six sites in Scotland and England for

high-level waste disposal tests in 1976-81.

attempt to separate the public examination of the testing of the

Then, as now, there was an

### Court attacks on third parties

Sir, Your leading article, "Innocent third parties" (October 28), was a welcome analysis of one of the two matters arising from the Old Bailey rape trial which have concerned the

Press Council in recent years.

From the Director of the Press

When the Contempt Bill was before Parliament the Press Council protested to the Lord Chancellor, the Attorney General, and members of both Houses that the proposed powers to ban publication of names of people referred to or involved in trials were too broad and imprecise to be in the public interest.

The main argument put then was that such powers could be used to protect victims of blackmail (not, as your report of October 26 suggested, the names of victims of rape cases. Identification of victims and the accused in rape trials is restricted by the Sexual Offences (Amendment)

Act).
The Press Council said the protection of blackmail victims was an aim with which most journalists and editors would sympathise. It warned, however, that the wideranging powers proposed in the Bill were likely to be used for purposes never contemplated by Parliament.

The other point which had concerned the Press Council was that raised in your leading article: the problem of fairness in reporting an attack made during a trial on a third party who was not before the court. In 1978 the Press Council consulted the Magistrates' Association, the Senate of the Inns of Court and the Law Society about the problem. It then reminded editors that it was for their judgment whether to report a courtroom attack on an absent third party but warned that suppression might be

ascribed to fear or favouritism.

Interestingly, in view of Mr
Heath's decision, the Press Council announced then that there were occasions where the right course for a third party who believed unfair allegations had been made against him was to consult a lawver about the possibility of making a correcting statement to the court con-

The Press Council said then, and the point is apposite now, that when an attack has been made on a third party it is desirable for the court to discharge its responsibility by indicating publicly how far it has accepted the allegations or taken account of them in reading its verdict or sentence. The responsibility then lies on the press, if it reported the allegations, to report, too, the court's view of them.

There will be much sympathy with your view that an additional legal restriction on reporting may be desirable. However, a danger in that course which needs to be weighed is apparent in the present Restricting the press - but not those in the public gallery - from naming someone who has been the subject an allegation in court provides ideal forcing conditions for the growth of rumours about what was actually said about whom.

KENNETH MORGAN, Director,

# From Mr George Curtis

Sir, The anomaly of tenancies by default, to which Mr J. R. Curry drew attention (October 15), was surely wholly unintended by Parlia-ment in the Agricultural Holdings Acts of 1948 and 1976, and should not only be removed, but retrospectively so, to right the most obnoxious injuries that have been committed.

Tenancy by default

I have a vested interest in tenancies, being a tenant in a small way of business. If tenancies which, as a form of land tenure, have served this country well over a long period of time are not to become extinct, the present rather ineffective CLA/NFU review of the Agricultural Holdings Acts needs to be beefed up, despite the screams that will arise. The new Act should achieve several things:

1. Deal with tenancies by default retrospectively. Those who have taken land in this manner have behaved in a despicable way and descrive no sympathy at all.

2. Change the system of rent fixing from the present hypothetical, and wholly absurd. "open market" basis to one which reflects both the productive capacity of the holding, its layout and size, and the landlord's investment in fixed

ment, examining the suitability of all areas of the UK for land disposal and also the merits of oceanic and land sites. Some machinery for this exists under section 48 of the Town and

has also undoubtedly been increased

by the recent rapidly developing international climate against the oceanic disposal of this type of

The only way to handle the understandable concern which local

residents and councils feel is for

there to be a systematic, national,

public examination of the entire

policy of radioactive waste manage-

sites from public examination of the Country Planning Act, 1971, but even if the formality of this approach is considered unwieldy, a consequences of any subsequent construction at them. Then, as seems likely to occur again, it was argued that evaluation of this first planning inquiry inspector may, as at Sizewell, have a remit which allows the widest examination of the stage in selecting sites should consider only the minor environentire policy context of an individ-ual land development. mental effects, such as drilling noise, likely to arise and not those of any To date, UK policy on radioactive development that might follow. waste management has been charac-

waste management has been characterized by confusion, delay and political expediency. The piecemeal approach adopted by successive Secretaries of State ensures that Eventually, the previous Secretary of State, Tom King, was forced to concede, in ending that research programme in December, 1981, that test-drilling was a matter of national and not only local concern. suspicion is generated in one part of the country after another. Meanwhile, of course, the wastes continue

No community can be unaware that if it allows testing to go ahead in its area this must increase the chances of its being host to subsequent stages, rather than areas where testing does not occur.

The pressure on the selected areas

### Yours faithfully DAVID R. COPE The University of Nottingham, University Park.

to accumulate.

Fear of police powers From Mr Geoffrey Bindman Sir, Some welcome concessions have

been made by the new Home Secretary in the reintroduced ver-sion of the Police and Criminal Evidence Bill. Opposition to the Bill should not be weakened, however, because most of its objectionable features remain and no evidence has been advanced by the Government that any increased police powers are needed.

In particular, the novel power given to the police to detain an innocent person for up to 96 hours for the purpose of questioning has not been significantly modified. The preservation of the right of silence was expressly recommended by the Royal Commission on Criminal Procedure and is not directly removed in the Bill, yet the only plausible reason for creating a power to detain a suspect in a police station "for questioning" is to enable pressure to be put on him to waive that right. The right to silence should be protected, not under-

The Government's response to criticisms of the detention powers has been to deny that they extend the law at all. In your columns of April 9, 1983, Mr Nicholas Lyell, QC, MP, then Parliamentary Private Secretary to the Attorney General, claimed that there had been cases under present law in which people had been detained lawfully for more

than four days. Yet when I wrote to him asking for examples of such cases he did not reply. A Home Office briefing document, prepared for the earlier version of the Bill, describes some cases in which suspects have been detained for more than four days without any complaint, but none in which such detention has been declared lawful

There are those who have argued that the right to silence should be abolished, but when the eleventh report of the Criminal Law Revision Committee made this proposal in 1972, the public outcry was so great that it was hastily dropped.

The Government evidently seeks to revive the attack on the right to silence in a devious and underhand way. At the same time the privilege against self-incrimination is watered

It has always been a central feature of our system of criminal justice and safeguard for the innocent that the prosecution must prove its case without enforced assistance from the accused. Does the public understand that the Government are trying to take this fundamental liberty away? Yours faithfully. GEOFFREY BINDMAN, Bindman & Parmers.

## From Professor D. W. Harding

Sir. The award by the Council of Europe of its diploma to the Nature Conservancy Council for its management of the Beinn Eighe national nature reserve, and the recognition of the area as a wildlife habitat of international importance by the United Nations Man and Biosphere Programme (your report, October 22), serve to underline the insensitivity of the North of Scotland Hydro-Electric Board's plans to develop the area immediately north of the Beinn Eighereserve and the National Trust's

stations by the rivers Talladale and Grudie, which flow into Loch Maree

hotel. The fact that the planned capacity of both schemes is at present only 9.5 megawatts hardly mitigates the damage which such a development will inflict on a unique environment and makes it scarcely credible that such an increase could not be accommodated within existing schemes elsewhere.

Edinburgh. October 22.

### Death in the forest

From Mr Recorder P. J. E. Jackson Sir, From our balcony here, we can see for miles and the Black Forest appears as healthy and beautiful as ever. Acid rain is discussed locally, but I have seen no demonstration. The foresters seem to have things well in hand and I am further

reassured by Professor Kenneth Mellanby's letter in *The Times* on October 26. Yours etc, PETER J. E. JACKSON.

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### Off the rails

From Mr Charles Mitchell Sir, In his "Letter from Delhi" (October 20) your Correspondent writes of the procedure for locating one's seat on an Indian train. He fails to elaborate, however, on the potential munces of this game.

Tactics encountered at Amritsar this summer were to confound the would-be English traveller by typing his name on the reservation list in Hindi (no mean feat, this), followed up by the awasome coup de finesse of removing the Tourist Quota carriage from the train altogether.

Doubtless an admirable precaution against British Rail spies.

Yours faithfully, CHARLES MITCHELL 41 Green Park, Cambridge October 21

# Role of the GLC

From inc Leader of the Greater Landon Council

Sir. Councillor Charles Williams (October 24) suggests that GLC functions like entertainment licensing and recreation services "can be perfectly well managed by the

boroughs." I hope he has consulted his Conscribitive colleagues on Westminster Council who would take over responsibility for licensing the large number of theatres and cinemas in the West End. In practice, of course, the standards of public safety and environmental control in London could become extremely parchy and inconsistent, epending on how each individual orough decided to meet Government cuts and "rate-capping"

Another Tory authority, Bromley, also stands to pick up a big bill if the GLC's strategic recreation facilities are passed to the boroughs. It would be interesting to see how the ratepayers of Bromley took to paying for a regional facility like the Crystal Palace sports centre.

Councillor Williams seems confused on the issue of joint boards. He condemns the fire bugade to unrepresentative management by a joint board since it is "not a matter of great public controversy or political interest."

The present administration at County Hall has spent two years reversing cuts (firefighters and appliances) made by the Tories under Horace Cutter. Yet if the new joint board is to meet Government spending targets (which presumably is the object of the entire abolition exercise) it would have to shed 1,600

firefighters and more Londoners would undoubtedly die in fires. No public controversy? No political

But Councellor Williams reserves his most muddled thinking for the question of public transport. Having first extolled what he sees as the past successes of joint boards in this field, he then concedes that "a joint board of 32 boroughs might be too cumbersome" and concludes by arguing for a directly-elected body to run public transport in London.

Funny, that sounds to me reasonably like a description of the

Yours faithfully, KEN LIVINGSTONE Leader Greater London Council, The County Hall, SEI. October 24.

objection not to these proposals but to last July's decision. From Sir Ian Morrow

world prices.

equipment such as buildings, roads, electricity supplies, land drains and

such like. 3. Remove the present succession arrangements, which are intellectually on a par with Arthur Scargill's screams that miners taking redun-dancy payments are selling their sons' jobs. Jobs are, in essence, abstract things, and not held upon cither freehold or leasehold deeds.

4. The letting of land is a business. Income receivable from let land should be treated as income from a business. Until it is, nobody in their senses is going to let any land.
5. Pension funds should be barred

from farming land held by them on their own account. Their tax-free status as operators distorts the scene for the rest of us who are obliged to pay taxes.

What the Act cannot do, and Parliament cannot provide for, is the extinction of the Labour Party, whose death has been much forecast of late, I suspect prematurely. With its commitment to nationalise all let land there is unlikely to be any rush of landlords until the party has been dead and buried for some ten years

at least. Yours faithfully. GEORGE CURTIS, Dalebrook House, Dedham.

### 'Soviet threat'

From Mr Alan Lee Williams and Dr Geoffrey Lee Williams

Sir, We do not believe that Mr Michael Cox (October 18) can be entirely serious when he asserts that Western intelligence estimates of Soviet intentions have not been soundly based. Indeed his further assertion that the Soviet Union is not much of a "threat cither" appears to reveal a shallow grasp of contemporary international politics. This is a pity because his point

about the unattractive nature of Soviet socialism is well established and is worth reiterating in the light of the volatile situation in Eastern Europe. However, scepticism about the Soviet military threat should not be trivialized by simply disregarding

Mr Cox's letter is a classic example of the lack of relationship between Soviet reality and the way it is perceived by Western analysts who prefer to make radical assumptions based on a Western world view rather than on a detailed examination of documentation published in the Soviet Union.

The Soviet analysis of international relations does not allow for prolonged, global deadlock or lasting compromise, but envisages unend-ing conflict, resulting in victors and in the vanquished (who are then dispatched to the "rubbish bin" of

More crucially, in this context, the

Soviet term "correlation of forces" does not imply a balance but refers to trends, with one side overtaking or falling behind its adversary. Contemporary Soviet literature places critical emphasis on "ideo-

logical struggle". Moreover, Soviet leaders do not differentiate fundamentally between "military" and "civilian aspects of doctrine" - a concept arguably related more to classical "grand strategy" than to narrow Western definitions of military doctrine.

Mr Cox ignores the fact that the

Soviet acceptance of the inevita-bility of global confrontation as the only way of resolving the conflict between two social systems has been constantly resterated and more stridently advanced since the death of Stalin in 1953. Thus, since his death, it is no accident that the more optimistic period of "detente" and "peaceful co-existence" was also the occasion for the emergence of Soviet doctrine expostulating "war-waging" and "war-winning" scenarios, rather then the more benign ideas associated with "deterrence" and "war-avoidance"

Stalin believed that nuclear

eapons had made "Clausewitzian thinking" irrelevant. It is a pity that Stalin's view has not been shared by his tough-minded successors. Yours sincerely, ALAN LEE WILLIAMS, GEOFFREY LEE WILLIAMS, Reform Club. Pall Mall. SW1.

October 20.

require different management solutions. After all, consensus management works very successfully in some health authorities. Uniformity is bureaucratic tidiness, but I doubt if it produces

Out of step in the

Sir, Ten years ago "consensus management" was the order of the

day. Now it's the reverse: strong

leadership. Ten years hence it will be

all change to a reaction from strong

of the health service to march in step? An alternative solution is to

encourage experiment – different circumstances and personalities

Why is it necessary for every part

health service

From Mr N. P. Hepworth

leadership.

effective management for all circum-

Yours sincerely,
N. P. HEPWORTH, Director,
The Chartered Institute of Public
Finance and Accountancy,
1 Buckingham Place, SW1.
October 27.

From Professor A. C. P. Sims Sir. In your article (October 19) concerning cuts in the National Health Service what the three examples you cited from different parts of the country had in common was the withdrawal of facilities for the treatment of the mentally ill.

This is occurring in many places despite the Government's stated intention of protecting mental health services. Mental health is extremely vulnerable at present because health authorities are tempted to capitalize on the wholly laudable change of emphasis from institutional to community care by making economies on hospital wards but not reallocating the resources saved on the same scale for necessary developments in the community.

Yours sincerely, A. C. P. SIMS, The University of Leeds.
Department of Psychiatry. St James's University Hospital. Leeds. October 21.

From Mr John Hilbourne Sir. I am puzzled by the recommendations of the Griffiths report on efficiency in the National Health Service. I thought that the 1974 reorganization put through by Sir Keith Joseph and based on the work of McKinsey and Co had already taken advantage of the best business had to offer. Yours faithfully.

JOHN HILBOURNE. Penn House. Beckspool Road. Frenchay, Bristol. Avon. October 26.

### Beinn Eighe plans

estate at Torridon.

Proposals include the building of dams, aqueducts, roads and power on its southern shore between Kinlochewe and the Loch Maree

Yours faithfully, D. W. HARDING.

14 Drummond Place,

**BUCKINGHAM PALACE** 

Societies in aid of the Fund, at

Northcote House, Exeter University, where Her Royal Highness was received by the Vice-Chancellor (Dr

BUCKINGHAM PALACE

**Forthcoming** 

Mr A. W. L. Macinnes and Mrs G. A. Gemmell

Moyne, Gloucestershire.

Dr M. D. Waterbouse and Miss T. J. Francis

Marriages

Mr M. F. R. Baring

marriages

October 30: Mr R. T. Hankins had

The engagement is announced between Alasdair W. L. Macinnes, of Donne Place, London, SW3 and Gilly A. Gemmell, of Shipton

The engagement is announced between Michael, son of Lieutenant-

Colonel and Mrs Stuart Water-

house, of Orpington, Kent, and Tessa, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs Derek Francis, of Wimbledon.

The marriage took place on Saturday at St John's Episcopal

Church, Perth, between Mr Mark

Baring elder son of the Hon Sir

John Baring of Lake House, Northington, Alresford, Hampshire,

and of the Hon Mrs Baring, of 13 Alexander Street, London, W2, and Miss Miranda Moncrieff, daughter

of Captain and Mrs Charles

Tongue, Sutherland. The Rev Thurstan T. Irvine and the Rev

A service of thanksgiving for the life of Mr Alexander (Sandie) Mitchell-innes was held on Wednesday, October 26 in the Grosvenor

Chapel, South Audley Street. The Rev Dr Anthony Marks officiated,

Memorial service

Mr A. Mitchell-Innes



### **COURT** KENSINGTON PALACE October 30: The Prince of Wales, CIRCULAR Duke of Cornwall, visited the Isles

of Scilly today. His Royal Highness, attended by Mr John Higgs, travelled in an aircraft of The Queen's Flight. October 29: The Princess Anne, Mrs Mark Phillips, President of the Save

the Children Fund, this afternoon
The Prince of Wales, President of
visited the Devonport Childcare the Royal College of Music
Project, Plymouth (Director Mr J.
Barnaville).

Centenary Appeal, will attend an
auction in aid of the appeal at understood that similar "pri-vate member's" motions are Her Royal Highness was received Christie's on November 2. on arrival by Her Majesty's Lord-Lieutenant for Devon (the Earl of Morley) and the Lord Mayor of Plymouth (Councillor D. Mitchell). The Prince and Princess of Wales and Princess Anne will attend the Festival of Remembrance at the Albert Hall on November 12. The Prince and Princess of Wales quickly to the head of the

A memorial service for Mr In the evening The Princess Anne, Mrs Mark Phillips, attended a Save the Children Gala Concert, given by the Sunlife Stanshawe Band and combined Operatic Ronald Cozens-Hardy Horne will be held today at 3pm in Lincoln's

A service of thanksgiving for the life of Sir George Leeds, Bt, will be held in The Guards Chapel, Wellington Barracks, on Thursday, November 3, 1983 at noon.

The Princess Anne, Mrs Mark Phillips, attended by Mrs Richard Carew Pole, travelled in an aircraft of The Queen's Flight. A service of thanksgiving for the life and work of Lord Wakefield of Kendal will be held in Westminster Abbey at noon on Tuesday, November 15, 1983. Those wishing to attend are asked to apply for tickets to: The Registrar, The Chapter Office, 20 Dean's Yard, Westminster Abbey, London SWIP JPA enclosing a stamped addressed Colorer St. Mr R. 1. Gamens man the honour of being received by The Queen at Windsor Castle this morning when Her Majesty decor-ated him with the Royal Victorian 3PA, enclosing a stamped addressed envelope. Tickets will be posted on Tuesday, November 8. All are welcome to attend.

and Princess Ann de Rohan

Hugh Buchanan, elder son of Major and Mrs J. E. Buchanan, and Princess Ann de Rohan, elder daughter of the late Prince Louis de Rohan and Princess Louis de Rohan Father Denis Colin offi-

The bride, who was given in Hacket, Charlotte Martin, Emily Gibbs and Louis and Philippe de Rohan. Mr Robert Hamilton

Mr P. M. Hood

The marriage took place on Friday in London of Mr Peter Hood and Mrs Diana Thomas de Talbot, of Cordoba, Argentina, widow of J. K. Talbot. Their address will be 31 St George's Square, SW1.

The marriage took place on Saturday, October 29, at the Church of the Sacred Heart, Bideford, of Mr

marriage by her brother, Prince Charles de Rohan, was attended by Peach de Rohan, Laura Godsal, Fay Dahymple was best man.

A reception was held at Mount
Raleigh and the honeymoon is being

and Mrs D. H. Thomas de Talbot

spent in Barbados.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was attended by Andrew Maclean, Augusta Peto, Karina Combe, and Miss Rosanna Moncrieff. Mr Alexander Baring was best man.

A reception was held at Dunkeld House Hotel.

Mr H. R. Buchanan and Princess Ann de Rohan

women priests in the Church of

One such resolution is al-

ready on the order paper, but is

at the moment at the bottom of

a considerable list of motions

proposed to the General Synod

by diocesan synods. It is

about to appear on the order

paper, and these, unlike di-

ocesan resolutions, could move

queue. The former are taken in

strict rotation; the latter accord-

ing to the preference of synod

members, expressed by the collection of signatures of those

requesting the debate. The issue, which has been smoulder-

ing since the synod said no in 1978, could be top of the synod's agenda and top of the

church's agenda by next sum-

A small rehearsal for this

climax will take place at the

synod's meeting next month, when a draft measure will be

considered which will allow

women priests ordained in the

Anglican Communion overseas

to officiate as Anglican priests

be ordained.

England. Several resolutions Anglican Communion. Present-

either have been or are being ly such women priests, when in

rabled for consideration by the England, are not permitted to General Synod, declaring that exercise an official priestly

the time has come for women to ministry, whereas male visiting

priests can and do.

It will be urged on the synod

as the removal of an anomaly.

which upsets many fellow

Anglicans overseas, and resisted

as the thin end of the wedge. In

the tactics of the Movement for

the Ordination of Women

visiting women priests from

overseas are an important

staging post along the road to

their ultimate goal. If people

saw the occasional woman

priest officiating in England,

albeit only as a temporary

visitor, they would be gradually

desensitized to the basic prin-

ciple, the argument goes. Some

other parts of the Movement

however, appear to be unwilling

to wait for this slow thaw. They

may have noted, correctly, that one of the arguments used

against them in 1978 is

beginning to look rather hollow,

and those persuaded by it then

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may be more sceptical now.

The marriage took place or Saturday, October 29, in the Saturday, October 29, in the Cathedral of St Mary the Crowned Gibraltar, between Mr Paul Stagu to, youngest son of the late Mr Lewis M. Stagnetto and Mrs Stagnetto, and Miss Susan Gaggero, Stagnetto, and Miss Susan Gagero, second daughter of Mr and Mrs Charles G. Gaggero. The Right Rev Edward Rapallo, Bishop of Gibral-

and Dr A. Bhatti

The marriage took place Saturday, October 29, between Mr Gerald Edward Temple and Dr

Mr P. G. Wright and Miss J. E. Vincent

The marriage took place on Saturday, October 29, 1983, at Boxgrove Priory Church, between Mr Philip Wright and Miss Jill



Principal's principles: Mrs Ulla Barlow, aged 41, who has been appointed principal of Brixton College for Further Education, in south London. She says: "It seems to me of primary importance that excellence is not confused with academic 'levels', but that a college's provision should be relevant to the community it serves, and of the highest standard". (Photograph: David Cairns).

### Science report

# New animal group found

For only the third time this circumstances behind the dis-

century a new phylum (major dom has been discovered and described. Organisms are organisms should have a classified scientifically in a branch corresponding to the hierarchial series of groups.

The smallest regularly used is 1961 by Robert Higgins, then the species, and species which a young post-graduate reare more like each other are search worker at the National ed together in a genus, similarly genera are grouped into families, families into orders, orders into classes, classes into phyla and phyla into kingdoms or the highest ranking in the animal king-

dom.
For example, homo is a genus of catarrhine (old world) primates whose only living representative is man. Primates are an order of placental mammals, containing man, apes and monkeys. Mammals are any member of a class of tetrapod vertebrates including man, dogs, cats and whales. In this way the tree of the animal kingdom is organized.

An account of the unusual

covery is contained in the latest issue of Science. The idea that the tree of living Museum of Natural History in Washington.

He even found an organism in 1974 which would have confirmed his theory, but he failed at the time to recognize it as a novel organism.

That microscopic creature is called Nanaloricus Mysticus and occupies the head of the list of the newly created group. It is one of many tiny animals that live among marine sand and gravel at depths of ten to treds of metres below the sea surface. They are known collectively as meiofauna Because they are at such

depths, they represent relatively unexplored biological

obtained official recognition for describing the new dis-covery is Dr Reinhardt Kristensen of the University of Copenhagen. He first came across one of the organisms in this group in 1975, but he missed the chance of recording the discovery properly because the single specimen contained on a microscope slide was

However, he worked with Hippins last year, and when the discovery was made. Dr Kristensen acknowledged the initial work that had been done by the American scientist. The new phylum will be officially described in the next issue of the technical journal in which the classification of organisms are recorded. There is a consolation prize for the American scientist in that the larval stage in the development of the organism is being named after him. Higgins-

Reconsidering women priests

By Clifford Longley, Religious Affairs Correspondent Next year is likely to see the full though female ordination is still less indefinitely. The Roman require the ordination of reopening of the debate on only acceptable in a small women priests in the Church of minority of the provinces of the impact than the Orthodox side: some believe the tradition of there was a dramatic exchange of letters, for instance, between the then Archbishop of Canter-

> was then, perhaps optimistically thought to be willing to reconsider the point itself, in spite of an earlier negative ruling from the Sacred Congregation for the Doctrine of the Faith. Since then, however, there has been no sign that the matter has progressed; in fact under Pope John Paul II that church is even less likely to view the ordination of women favourably than under Paul VI. votes. The present Pope recently instructed the hierarchy in the the ordination of women, the matter within the church

argument likely to be heard in 1984, for this is an issue on This is the point, made so tellingly in 1976, that relations which almost everything posswith the Roman Catholic and Orthodox churches would be harmed by the ordination of women in the Church of when visiting England. There women in the Church of nutshell, some believe new implication are said to be about 600 such England, and the prospect of secular and theological underwomen priests already, ale eventual unity put off more or standings of sexual equality women.

bury and the then Pope,

together with a plea for patience from Cardinal Hume. The Roman Catholic Church United States to have nothing be church unity, but not to do with bodies advocating between the Church of England

male priesthood contains a truth about human nature that is permanently true and cannot be set aside; some believe that October 28. He was 91. the priesthood belongs to the whole church and not just the Anglican part of it, and its character should not be altered by that one part which is out of step with the rest. Some, in good Anglican style, just want to do "what seems right". This is the middle ground that opposing factions will try to capture. When it eventually seem to have merited. comes to debate in the General Synod, the decision could go

The hidden issue will indeed and the Roman Catholic suggesting that even to debate Church. The ordination of women would put a very was wrong. Those in the Church serious strain on the cohesion of of England who thought it the Church of England itself worthwhile to wait, six years with some Evangelicals and ago, now have no legs to stand on.

This is probably the only new argument likely to be heard in of the Church of England while the comprehensiveness of the Church of England while the comprehensiveness of the Church of England while the church of Englan no doubt of some. But this m ible has been said, on both turn would significantly after sides, many times over. In a the church's character, with nutshell, some believe new implications far wider than the single issue of the ordination of

# Night sky in November



### By Our Astronomy Correspondent

Mercury, having only just passed superior conjunction, will be too near the Sun for observation this mouth. this shower (though famous) is not a spectacular one. The radiant is in the head of Leo, the part sometimes called The Sickle, and this doce not

Venus will reach greatest elonga-tion (47) on the 4th and the crescent phase will come to an end.
Although the illuminated area will
be getting larger, the brightness will slowly decrease owing to increasing distance. It will be rising several hours before the Sun and the Moon will be near it on the 1st.

Mars is a morning star in Virgo
rising at about 02h. On the 1st it will
be less than 2° west of the very much

brighter Venus, but the planets will separate rapidly during the month. Moon near it that morning and not far from it on the 29th. Jupiter is a difficult evening object, setting about an hour after Satura having passed conjuction

is now a morning star but still too near the Sun to be seen before the end of the month.

Uranns is now approaching conjunction and will be unobservable this month. Neptune will remain hidden in

the south-western twilight.

The Moon: new, 4022h; first quarter, 12d16h; full, 20d12h; last quarter, 27dl 1h. Algol: approximate times of evening minima are 5d21h, 8d18h, 25d23h and 28d20h. November is the month associ-ated with the Leonid meteors, but

University news yesterday by Lord Alport, High Steward of Colchester, for a new Chaplaincy centre at Essex Univer-

Latest appointments The ninety-third Old Cranleighan Society dinner will be held on Tuesday, November 8, at 6.45 for 7.30pm at the Connaught Rooms. The Chairman is Mr P. G. D. Lynde. Copies of The History of Cranleigh School will be on sale. Mr David Emms, Mr Marc van Hasselt and Mr Anthony Hart (Headmaster-elect) will be present. Tickets at £16 (£10 for under-23s) are available

Mr J. McElheran to be Principal Assistant Solicitor, Ministry of Assistant Solicitor, Ministry Agriculture, Fisheries and Food.

rise much before midnight. The dates are 15th to the 20th with maximum on the 18th, and there will be bright moonlight during this

In the star-spangled sky the summer triangle is now less prominent and well to the west. The prominent and well to the west. The principal group in the south is Pegasus, and objects of interest coming into view are the open clusters Pletades and Hyades (the V-shaped group around Aldebaran). For binocular users the galaxy in Andromeda and the double cluster between Perseus and Cassiopelar, for these three set deck chair is these two a low set deck chair is strongly recommended. Low in the south lies Formalisant, the southernmost first magnitude star visible in

This is the time of year when the evenings are rapidly darkening, and is an ideal time for parents and teachers to show the stars to the teachers to show the stars to the children. The problem is where to begin. For the early evening, the September map is more useful than the current one, ignoring the Moon and planet of course.

The obvious starting point is Urss Major, the Great Bear, standing the right way up on the northern horizon. Our map shows the whole constellation.

Service dinner

Type Electrical Engineers

Major-General C. R. Grey, Communion Engineers BAOR, and Brigadier G. A. Alkinson, Commander REME TA, were the principal guests at the annual reunion dinner of the Type Electrical Engineers held on Saturday night at the TA Centre, Debdon Gardens, Newesstle upon Type. Colonel A. K. Johnson presided.

Type Electrical Engineers

### immediate aftermath of the First World War came to dominate the silent screen, but fame came slowly to Messmer, who as a mere cartoonist for a days, which his creation's immense popularity would

either way, probably depending on no more than ten or twenty

### Motor Mat and his Fliv, a siapstick commentary on the hazards of rural American roads was his first effort but Otz, as he was known, tried to get beyond this type of visual gag of localized appeal to something more universally intelligible thus be shattered, to the delight

MD. FRCP, FRCR, honorary consultant radiotherapist to St bridge on October 25, aged 83. He was born at Rathmines,

After service in the First

first attrempts at animation.

and enjoyable.

OBITUARY

OTTO MESSMER

Creator of Felix the Cat

College, Dublin, where he Radiotherapy, 1965. secured a medical scholarship Ourside his hossi and first-class exhibition, and

with bonours in 1923 he appointments and shortly de-cided to devote himself to the then newly emerging speciality of radiotherapy. He secured the DMRE

ogists.

After postgraduate work at Frankfurt-on-Main he joined the late Dr N. S. Finzi at St. Bartholomew's Flospital in 1924 as medical officer in charge of research into high voltage X-ray therapy. He also became lecturer in X-ray ther-

Throughout the years prior to the Second World War he acquired rapidly expanding skill and expertise in this rapidly developing speciality. In 1939 he was appointed honorary physician in charge of radio-therapy at St George's Hospital, but the outbreak of war and total frustration of that hospi-

He was the author of many papers on radiotherapy in the 1930s; he also completed and edited Knox's Textbook of Radiotherapy, 1932, and published his own Handbook of Radiotherapy in 1952. He was

Otto Messaner, the cartoonist which he did for Pat Sullivan's who created Felix the Cat, died studio in 1919. Since Sullivan in Newark, New Jersey, on had a contract to produce a cartoon film every month for Felix the Cat, escated in the the Paramount Mapazine. Messmer's work, though not at that stage his name, was soon well known. Felix's success rested in his

being not so much the anthrostudio reaped home of the pomorphic being in stripes, rewards for his labours in those spats and tails, like the cats of Disney, but a household mog. who behaved like one. Owing to the demands of Sollivan's Ironically it was his work contract Messmer soon found himself doing 26 Felix cartoons helping to produce the Popeye himself doing 26 Felix cartoons the Sailor series which belatedly a year for ten years, besides, brought his name before the comic strip versions and car-public in the 1950s. ments which saw his work in Messmer was born in New lights in Times Square.

Jersey and started work with a And though in those days he small drama company painting backcloths. His first motion picture work was with Univergained a mere studio credit for his efforts he did, in the period after his work with Popeye, sal where he soon graduated from the crude backdrop work have the satisfaction of seeing he had been schooled in, to his Felix reborn and rerun as a masterpiece of early animated cartoon art.

Felix the Cat had also latterly been revived for television in a more streamlined style while Messmer's drawings were exhibited alongside those of Wah Disney and Matt Fleischer at the Montreal World Exhibition in 1967. Restrospective festivals and appreciations of his Felix films were held in places as far World War with the US Army's Signal Corps in France he films were held in places as far eventually hit on Felix the Cat apart as Ottawa and Zagreb.

### DR WALTER LEVITT

After education at Dublin High School he entered University was a gold medallist of Mercers Graduating MB, BCh, BAO

(Cantab) in 1924, the MRCP (Cantab) in 1931 and MD (Dublin) in 1933. He later became FRCP (Lond) and a founding fellow of the Faculty of Radiologists in 1940, and subsequently a founding fellow of the Royal College of Radiol-

apy at the Department of Medical Radiology in the University of Cambridge.

tal's rebuilding programme brought that appointment to naught.

After the war, he returned to Bart's as part-time honorary radiotherapist combining this with the directorship of radiotherapy at the London Clinic.
At Bart's he was closely associated with the late Sir Ronald Bodley Scott in treating patients with leukaemia and

During this period he made valuable contribution to the treatment of Hodgkin's disease which, since his retirement, is now so generally curable as a result of further great advances in radiotherapy and chemo-therapy. Levitt also made a nsefizi contribution to the understanding and treatment of spontaneous keloid.

Dr Walter Montague Levitt, the author of the section on blood disorders in Ralston Paterson's Treatment of Malig-Bartholomew's Hospital and nam Disease, 1940, and barrister-at-law, died at Cambour 25 aged 83.

Bourne and Williams Recent Properties of Properties 1952. nant Disease, 1948, and of the He was born at Rathmines, Advances in Gynaecology, 1952.
Co Dublin, the eldest son of Together with Bodley Scott
Lewis and Caroline Levitt. he contributed to the section on

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the reticuloses and reticulosarcoma in the British Practice of Outside his hospital work and private practice he was a liveryman of the Worshipful

Society of Apothecaries. He was a fellow and one-time vicepresident and then president of proceeded to resident hospital the Section of Radiology of the Royal Society of Medicine; and also chairman of the Therapentics Committee of Faculty of Radiologists. He served on the Ministry of

Labour advisory panel in radiology and as chairman of the Research Committee of the British Empire Cancer Cam-paign. He was bonorary sec-retary of the International Cancer Conference in London in 1928, and one-time honorary associate editor of the British Journal of Radiology as well as honorary medical secretary of the British Institute of Radi-

Ology. Levitt was a charming and cultured man who was senerous and considerate to his assistants and trainees. He was especially kind to his patients and sensitive to their needs and this contributed to his double life.

The loss of his St George's Hospital appointment as a result of the Second World War and the taxing pressures of much of his earlier clinical work, together with the fact of being called to the Bar at Lincoln's Inn in 1946, persnaded him to withdraw from medicine. He became especially interested in medico-legal matters on which he wrote a number of useful papers. He later published a Short Encyclopaedia of Medicine for Lawyers in 1966.

But, after a spell away from his patients, he decided that medicine was his first love and returned to radiotherapy in the honorary capacity at Bart's and in private practice before his final medical retirement.

After that he served with the Metropolitan Traffic Com-missioners from 1967-73, and was deputy chairman for four years. He was also a senior legal assistant at the Department of Health and Social Security and managed to keep himself busy with his medico-legal and related interests up to the time of his death.

He was twice married first, in 1929 to Sonia Esté Nirinsky by whom there were no children. Shortly after her death in 1977 he married Violet Irene Levitt (née Hirschland).

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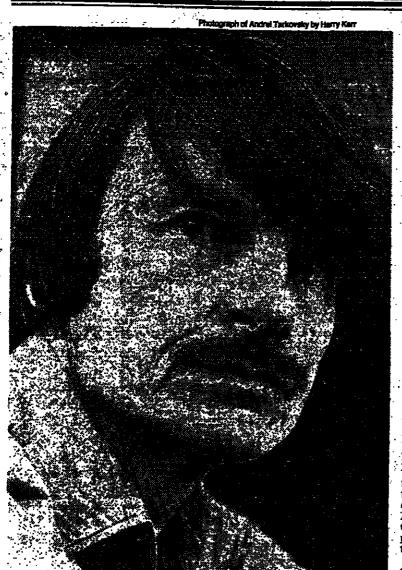
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# THE ARTS



Tonight at Covent Garden the distinguished Soviet film director Andrei Tarkovsky stages his first opera, Boris Godunov: John Higgins exclusively interviews him about it

# Spectacle crystallized into inner drama

Covent Garden took a long time to amanuace the producer of their new Boris Godunov, which opens at the Royal Opera House tonight. For well over a year negotiations have been on, then off, and finally on again with Andrei Tarkovsky, the most distinguished Soviet film director of his generation. The negotiations finished by being on, and since the beginning of the month Tarkovsky has been in London working on the first opera

be has staged.

There is still a certain amount of argument over who first persuaded Tarkovaky to desert the cinema temporarily for opera. He himself insists that Sir John Tooley, Covent Garden's general administrator, made the first official approach. But the instigator was almost certainly the instigator was almost certainly Boris's conductor, Claudio Abbado, whose interest in films is well known. The inspiration could well have been Tarkovsky's Andrei Roublev, which was made in the mid-Sixties but was not shown in the West until 1973. The story of the fifteenth-century Russian icon pain-ter is not so far away from the period of *Boris*. But if the idea came from Abbado, who has not been heard at Covent Garden since 1975, then the persistence came from Sir John. And that looks like being rewarded.

However, operagoers and Russian observers alike will note that it is

just over three years since Abbado conducted a major and controversial production of Boris at La Scala staged by another Soviet, Yuri Lyubimov, who was much in the news last month. Lyubimov presented Boris as a massive Slavonic church ritual on a single set, with the proceedings opened and closed by the monk-historian Pimen. Tarkov-sky's approach is likely to be very different, but he is not prepared to make any comparisons because he did not see the work of his

Tarkovsky, who is 50 this year, is a wiry man with a mop of hair, still unflecked by grey, which constantly has to be pushed out of his eyes. His features have a lined, lived-in look which makes him. a little like which makes him a little like Charles Bronson in non-pugilistic mood. With Abbado he talks Italian, acquired obviously while he was making his most recent film (to be shown in Britain later this week), Nostalgia: with others he prefers Russian and an interpreter.

The proposal to work at Covent

Garden was totally unexpected, but after reflection I realized that it could be interesting. I had not met Claudio Abbado before I was approached by Sir John Tooley, but it is very possible that Abbado knew Roublev and perhaps he thought that I would bring some of the principles of the cinema here to Covent Garden. But film and theatre are totally different. When I work on stage my methods are never those of the film set. "Let me say at once that I am not

interested in the pomp that some-times surrounds Mussorgsky's ope-ra. My chief concern is with the inner drama of Boris himself, and I think that even if I were filming the opera I would still make it an intimate work. Let me say too that Boris Godunov has a special, and lonely, place in the repertoire. Italian opera is a genre unto itself; so is German opera. Boris is set apart in that it is a marriage of music and a play, Pushkin's of the same name. My belief is that Mussorgsky destroyed the building erected by Pushkin and then reassembled it, using every single stone, but in a different structure. Pushkin put up a city with a hierarchy, Mussorgaky

made a palace."

There is no mention of the later modifications added by Rimsky-Korsakov because they will not be heard at Covent Garden. The version of the score will be that edited by David Lloyd-Jones, which was also the one Abbado used at La Scala. The conversation does, though, constantly revert to Push-

The most important scenes in the play and the opera, such as the death of Boris, are Shakespearian in

is a clearer figure in Pushkin than in Mussorgsky because there are fewer characters in his way, but I want to probe into his psychology. I'm often accused of wishing to complicate everything and perhaps that criticism is right.

"At the centre of Boris is not the

problem of power but of a man broken by power. It is about those who take on power and then find that they cannot handle it. It is also about conscience. Perhaps an alternative title for Boris would be 'Golos Boga' ('The Voice of God'), in other words 'The Voice of in other words "The Voice of God, in other words "The Voice of Conscience". Godunov is a lonely man who talks only to Prince Shuisky; but as he talks he looks at Shuisky with horror because this is the man who will carry on the tradition of myther Activations. tradition of murder. As surely as Boris killed Dmitri at Uglich, so will Shuisky murder Feodor and Xenia, Boris's children. Crime begets crime." A decade ago David Robinson, writing on this page about Andrei Roublev, observed that

'Tarkovsky's characteristic hero is always, it seems, a human being in an alien world". And that still appears to hold good.

Apart from Boris (sung by Robert Lloyd, the first Briton to play the role at Covent Garden) and Shuisky (Philip Langridge), Tarkovsky's

Simpleton (Patrick Power). "That misconceived. He tends to be presented as a 'character' and it is thought that the more 'personality' he has the better. On the contrary. He is a concept in the way that Prince Mishkin or Don Quixote is a concept. He too is alone and his job is to emphasize the error of the way the people decide to take. I want his face obscured throughout the opera, so he will have a sack over his head which he takes off only at the very

end, facing away from the audience.
"Pushkin's play ends with the cry
of 'Long live Shuisky!' and then
comes the stage direction: The
people remain silent. Mussongaky closes with the Simpleton and I see the removal of that sack as the most important gesture of the opera."

Our conversation closes, as it began, with Pushkin, who is up there in Tarkovsky's private pantheon along with Bach, Dostoevsky, Leonardo, Shakespeare and Tolstoy. His attention will now turn to Shakespeare and Housestern and House Shakespeare and Hamlet in particular, which he is planning to film. Production details have been under discussion during the Boris rehearsal

Riverside Studios are to run a retrospective of Tarkovsky's films from November 22 to 26.

# **PUBLISHING**

# Shotgun birth of the trade paperback

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At the other end of the scale are the new hardbacks, mostly between three and four times as expensive. As publishers increasingly have difficulty in selling serious books in hardback in sensible quantities, a new animal has been brought into heing: the trade paperback. It is hardback and a mass-market, reprint paperback, and in size tends to be closer to the original edition. This is for the simple, there is a hardback, which usually there still is - the trade paperback has been printed on the same quality of paper, at the same time and on the same machine as the bardback.

Trade paperbacks are here, but not necessarily to stay. The logic behind them is roughly akin to that which insists that a camel is a borse designed by committee. The reasoning, if so it may be described, goes something like this. Hardbacks are expensive, relatively speaking, and they are expensive not because they have stiff covers but because relatively few copies are printed. Mass-market paperbacks are cheap because many copies are printed, and large numbers are able to be printed (usually) because the calstence of the hardback, a year or so before the paperback, has made the public aware of

If we produce an animal somewhere between hardback and paperback, print two or three times the number of copies we would have dared do in hardback and sell them at roughly half the retail price, maybe the world will scent a hargain - or at least a decent

deal - and buy. I do not believe that the trade nanerback will make lasung inroads (here, rather than in the USA, where they order matters differently) because, ultimately, if people really want or need a book they will buy it in hardback, or in mass-market paperback if it becomes available, or becrow it from their public libraries. Who wants an

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you can proper paperbacks, and Most general publishers now

have trade paperback series, or at least publish the odd trade paperback, as Collins and Hodder & Stoughton do. Lord Weidenfeld is employing Mark Collins, former head of and impulse behind Fontana to assess whether Weidenfeld & Nicolson should start up a trade paperback list. The mass mar-ket paperback imprints mostly now have trade paperback lines. Sphere call theirs Abacus, which hardly compliments their finanheing: the trade paperback. It is priced somewhere between a cial director. Corgi's, to be hardback and a mass-market, launched next Spring, is Black Swan (why black?). Pan's is Picador, Hamlyn's Gondola— which suggests either the fanone. Penguin's is King Penguin. which goes to show what short memories Harmondsworth or King's Road has. You get the idea; and the books are more up-market, or literary.

The BBC's is Ariel, more in homage to the Eric Gill relief on the front of Broadcasting House than what is increasingly needed these days to tune in to their programmes. Fontana have just published the first titles in their trade paperback list, Flamingo; and Hutchinson seem to have as many trade paperback imprints planned, or un-

plannned, as they have editors.

The latest to be unveiled is Routledge & Kegan Paul's, immediately before they announced the name of their much needed new group man-aging director, Philip Sturrock, together with the fact that last year they had a pre-tax loss something they are not used to of £58,221. Their trade paperback list is called Ark and whether, when it was christened, they had the Covenant in mind I suspect the Ark in question is now more to do with survival (as in Schindler, as indeed in Noah) than inspi-

If the trade paperback can assist publishers of serious books, such as Routledge, to clamber away from their pre-sent economic difficulties, it will have more than justified its shotgun birth and hybrid condition. To the book buyer, it can mean a cheaper commodity, and to the author an additional source of revenue.

WHITEM DOBSON

The Royalists at War

E. J. Craddock

## Theatre **Lovers Dancing**

A playwright with Staircase and Rattle of a Simple Man behind him has much to live up to. Charles Dyer earns our sympathy for that, but also our envy: it is no mean name that can secure a West End management, a good theatre and an allstar cast for this extraordinary piece, alternately rarefied and coarse, baffling expectation with its flatness, its real pathos, its flashes of brilliance and surreal portraiture set in a traditional framework of mixed-doubles comedy.

In Staircase's cast of two, a gay relationship of many years' standing, Mr Dyer showed the weaker partner revealing itself as the stronger. Lovers Dancing pits an apparently failed couple (married) against a successful couple in the same way. The gentlemanly Paul Eddington and the brusquely thrusting Colin Blakely can pinpoint the moment when their paths diverged: the ballroom dancing tournament when Mr Edding-ton's trousers fell halfway round the floor.

Blakely waitzing off with a hideous silver cup, the glamor-ous Cheryl (Georgina Hale) and a winner's ruthlessness that duly brings wealth and a gloating invitation to an annual celebration that dare not be refused by Mr Eddington and his sad wife (Jane Carr), their dreams shrunk by running the local chemist's shop.

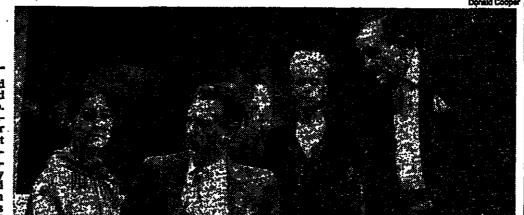
The successful are as unsatisfied as the failures and a good deal guiltier. Left alone with the ex-medic chemist, Mr Blakely immediately confides fears of impotence, fury at his wife's habit of painting young soldiers in the nude, and worries about his unsavoury abundance of umbilical fluff (a typical detail). All are tormented by the need to

supposedly celebrating 19 years later teems with still-festering doubts: who deliberately frayed the trouser buttons Mr Eddington's future depended on, who sired the child that Miss Hale conceived in a muddled four-ina-bed night? She kept him, with all the other prizes, but the failures' life is not as sterile as it

In tone and style, though, the play brings unpleasant surprises. Artificial, heightened language such as humans never Assisi; but, whether or not this spoke. Mr Dyer has not lost his factor weighed with Julian gift for a fresh poetic phrase (a Mitchell in choosing him as a

Was Jonathan Miller overcome by a fit of morality at the end of his new production of The Beggar's Opera (BBC2)? In-stead of saving the anti-hero Macheath from the hangman's noose because of the Begger's plea that the audience needs a happy ending, he sent Macheath swinging while the matter was still under discussion.

It was the only trick in a to be included: Gay worked a revolution in trolled easily through the 1728 with this *Hundred Best* melodies, Peter Bayliss's Lockit, production which startled more for its precise faithfulness to the period and mood of the original Tunes score by actually making given a doubling bassoon in the than for any revelatory redating: his actors sing, not leaving the orchestra, was incomparably I am surprised Miller was not music to self-contained inter- grotesque. am surprised Miller was not tempted by the glamorously ludes. The plucky actors in Dr vicious London crime scene of Jonathan's show sang the acting came from Macheath's the 1960s. But here the music modest times with modest skill, two rival loves: Carol Hall's came first gone was the folksy Roger Daltrey's much-hearald- Polly, pure of voice but



Range of reaction: Jane Carr (left), Paul Eddington, Georgina Hale, Colin Blakely

though all his nerve ends were gossiping") but much of it is embarrassingly unspeakable and sits uncomfortably among

Finding naturalistic impersonation impossible, the cast react variously: Mr Eddington retains a ministerial dignity, Mr Blakely barks out the tortured prose defiantly, Miss Carr tournament when Mr Edding-ton's trousers fell halfway round the floor.

What followed was marriage to each other's partners Mr accent? A some cocktail of Deer South, Home Counties and heaven knows what.

A curious silence descended on the audience as they tried vainly to explain it, nor did her reminiscences of a dockland childhood floating boats in pools of horses' urine do much to clear up the mystery.

The script fails, possibly does not even try, to achieve the kind of pathos through laughter that was such an appealing feature of Staircase, though several of that play's unfunnier lines are rehashed and look no better for the experience. Donald McWhinnie, the director, had an unenviable task. Even the funniest moments, such as Miss Hale settling herself amid her frothing pink petticoats as if lounging in a bubble bath, suggest either the bleakness of opulence or the corrosiveness of failure. Neither, in the long run, is a laughing matter.

Anthony Masters

Francis

Greenwich

had a soft spot for St Francis of

perturbed character "feels as hero, his play is calculated to inflame the prejudices of non-Catholic spectators.

> Francis is a stage biography in a manner that would have looked dated to Dorothy L. Savers. The heart sinks at the first moments of David William's production when a group of Dark-Age rowdies burst in, roaring a drinking song in strict organon, and referring to the absent Francis as "the best master of revels we've ever had".

> The missing tearaway then appears, having just undergone a lightning conversion and kissed a leper, whereupon his cronies slink away leaving Francis to receive further instruction from an illuminated crucifix. Church repair is the first job, and he sets to with a will by putting the altar back in place - a simple task as it seems to be made of plywood.

In no time, Francis has gathered converts to his new order, and is preaching to the birds. Rome has doubts, but, as his rule of total poverty is taken literally from the Gospels, it gets papal approval, "orthodox welcome.

Then, the backsliding begins. Some brothers start having an unhealthy interest in getting a roof over their heads, and owning things like psalters. And what should they do with beans that have to be soaked overnight if they are forbidden to take any thought of the morrow?

For a while, Francis brushes these obstacles aside, but as his order grows, sending missions around Europe and taking Francis himself to the Crusades, the original band of beegar preachers turns into a corporate establishment. Disillusioned, Francis disowns it and, when we last see him. his naked hody is being loaded with all the

policeman - turned - Peachum

The best match of voice and

church.
If Mr Mitchell intended this

as a parable on the fate of successful visionaries, all it has to say is that talented ideas-men are apt to get engulfed in administration, and that the revisionists win in the end. Can the author of Another Country be saying anything as elemen-If, on the nother hand, this is

a devotional play, it is not going to lead any non-believers into brought to a clerical court by his father for theft, he not only repays the money but renounces his inheritance by stripping naked. But, thereafter, he appears not simply as an intransigent idealist but as a classic case of Christ-fixated

Even in his ecstatic early days, radiating scraphic love as he instructs us to change our lives, there is nothing to suggest his spell over the hearers. And, as time and disillusion close in his enthusiasm changes into wrath and loathing.
On one side, the play sets out

to discredit the church authorities for betraying him. On the other, it does a hatchet job on Francis himself, dwelling gloatingly on suppurating flesh and physical anguish and allowing his love of God to express itself through a fixed hatred for

Kenneth Branagh is a marvellous young actor, but the lack of anything approaching ordinary buman feeling - apart from a few scattered gags, and a well-motivated dislike for his human father - confines his performance to one of showy rhetoric. Christopher Hancock, Frederick Treves and other good actors are likewise left clutching stereotypes.

Irving Wardle

passionate in temper; and Rosemary Ashe's Lucy, small and fierce, who suddenly blossomed in one of Purcell's three superb melodies. Isla Blair was a sinister, serious Jenny. The arrangements by Jeremy Barlow were uncluttered; John Eliot Gardiner conducted the baroque band crisply.

In Juliet Bravo (BBC1) an overwrought policeman started punching a man in a hospital waiting room. In Pecping Tom (BBC1), the chilling 1960 movie, girls were killed by a man as he filmed them. What a civilized place Hogarth's Lon-

Nicholas Kenyon

## Rock

Television

Faith in music

prissiness of the familiar Dent ed Macheath turned out to be

and Britten versions of the mainly swagger and girl-grop-

score. I did not count, but most ing he hit his songs with a blunt of the 69 original songs seemed instrument. Stratford John's

### Wham!

Hammersmith Odeon

Watching Wham! perform live confirms the suspicion that 1983 has marked the return of the teenybopper. Wham! fans, the majority young girls, possess all the characteristics that define the type: they scream constantly, they know all the words, they cling to each other for comfort and their parents are waiting in the theatre foyer to whisk them back to bed

Wham! are in the same Oates, their act is summed up Managed by the Sixties Svengali to the hilt. The lead singer, and always hilarious. His

slimmer foil, Andrew Ridgeley,

simpers shyly at Michael's side,

clutching a decorative guitar

with minimum effect. As with

tradition that spawned Bobbie by the fact that one sings, the Michael and Ridgeley's slender Beatlemania, other does not. Still, the duo have enjoyed Simon Napier Bell, they are enormous chart success with a rehearsed to act out fantasy up string of hits and a popular album, modestly titled Fantas-George Michael, draws out tic. As expected they turned on most of the oohs and ashs with a performance that is alternately lascivious and embarrassing what You Do? and "Young What You Do? and "Young Guns (Go For It!)" until every

rapped home. The show is made nearly bearable by session men who the American soul duo Hall and give the songs a credibility they

last exclamation mark had been

would otherwise lack while talent is also occasionally disguised by the efforts of their smart dancing partners, Shirley and Pepsi.

Michael attempted a couple of soul ballads during the set; his solo single "Careless Whisper" suggested a more thought-ful direction. For now Wham! are living proof of the old bluss maxim: the men do not know, but the little girls understand.

### Concert

# Hysterical precision

BBCSO/Tabachnik

Festival Hall/Radio 3

Perhaps one should refrain from comparisons at so early a stage, but my goodness there was a lot more life in Friday's opening concert of the Music of Eight Decades series that has so far appeared in the companion Great British Music Festival. There was also a lot more death, with the main work being Ligeti's massively solemn and hysterically funny, or massively funny and hysterically solemn, Requiem of the mid-Sixties.

Michel Tabachnik conducted a clean, clear, evenly-paced performance of this wholly extraordinary piece, recognizing that the drama and the absurdity depend on the most exact precision. The first movement's slowly rising cloud was utterly cold, and so all the more alien and awesome. Possibly the Kyrie, muttered by shifting mobs of choral voices, was more effective for radio listeners: the sight of ranks of blackclothed ladies and gentlemen the fold. Francis has one does detract from one's sense of excellent early scene when the heedless crowd. But the Dies Irae is so rich in the comic macabre that no visual formality can keep it in check, especially when its nice thrusts of terror and mockery are being placed with such accuracy as

they were here. Sarah Walker was the strong mezzo soloist, and Dorothy Dorow carefully filled in the musical high screams for an indisposed Phyllis Bryn-Julson. Both were nicely spiritualized in the short last movement, where

they appear as sole survivors of

From the same period of frenetic, explosive activity in the dying avant garde we had the Cello Concerto by Bernd

Alois Zimmermann, a work which pulled off the remarkable feat of making Boulez dance with Henze. Here were the flashes and fountains of pitched percussion music from the Frenchman's recent Eclat; there were the decadent jazzy undertones of Zimmermann's German contemporary. And, through it all, was threaded a line of intense virtuosity for the soloist, which Heinrich Schiff made into a keen, pared down,

The concerto's balletic scenimaginary triple encounters among varied personages - may have remained obscure, but the cross-play of characterful musical statements was thoroughly aroused, and the work revealed as one of this puzzling composer's most perfectly achieved, triumphant in its oddity and

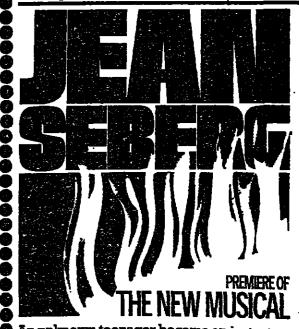
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incisive display of musician-

reiore mis. Schoenberg's Transfigured Night given almost equally colourful treatment. The BBC may not field the most virtuoso string orchestra in the world, but Mr Tabachnik's warm lead was followed with impressive honesty and endeavour and many individual beauties of texture, harmony and tune had the space to shine in a performance of thoughtful slow-

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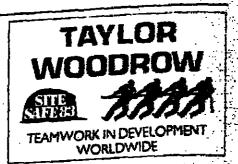


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# £36m profit forecast in first half for Reed

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Marks and Spencer should report figures showing a con- other publishing interests. tinued climb in both volume sales and profits. Margins are expected to recover sharply after last year's fall to give a profit before tax of between £105m and £115m against £93.3m last time. The dividend should rise from 1.85 to 2p.

Brokers expect Reed make about £15m to £16m in what is traditionally the poorest profit-making quarter. But this is considerably better than the £9.7m Reed made in the which was affected by the extraordinary cost of rationalisation and will take the sixmonth total to about £36m, against £26.1m last time.

There has been little volume improvement in Reed's bunsinesses, but results have benefited from the climination of

some long-running sores. After years of losses, the wall paper business is now back in profit, while the loss-making looking to tomorrow's CBI Odham's printing firm has been Industrial Trends Survey for

In the last two weeks, Reed's share price has begun to look forward to the planned £100m directors forecast profits of £5m public sale of the Mirror Group early next year. This will end a generally unhappy association for Reed and free resources for the development of the group's

Tommorow also sees half-year figures from Flight Refuelling, the high-flying, if small aerospace components group. When the company acquired

Most of this will probably year because of a number of important contracts that will

from Huntleigh should boost full-year returns above the forcast level to perhaps £6., against £3.75m last time. But it to 1984 when the AV & B Harrier, the Tornado, the Hawk VTX and the JP233 weapons system should generate sizable work for the company, that the begin to feed through to results exceptionally high rating on the then. The interim pre-tax share price is tooking, profits may be no higher than Savory Mills, expects the company to make £9m in 1984.

**ECONOMIC VIEW** 

# Trends to cheer up the City

The Chancellor's effots to corresponding period last year, talk up the economy and talk down inflationary expectations appear to be bearing some fruit in the City where the recent wave of pessimism is now thought to have been overdone. Today's cheerful forecasts from the London Business School, which point to sus-tained recovery well into 1985, will no doubt help sentiment

But the markets will be sold to Mr Robert Maxwell's confirmation that the upswing BPCC.

Recent surveys have shown some fading of business confidence in the last few months, particularly over export prospects, though the CBI is still predicting modest growth of output over the next 12 months

Britain's currency and money markets have been quiet of late, with the authorities sitting tight for the moment. Many market watchers expect a further 4 per centage point cut in bank base lending rates by Christmas, but this is likely to come later rather than sooner.

The most interesting economic statistic this week may prove to be the October unemployment total, out on Thursday. There are growing signs that the labour market is close to a turning point.

Other figures published this week include: October official reserves, advance energy statistics for September and October capital issues and redemptions, all on Wednesday; September housing starts on Thurs-day; and final September car and commercial vehicle production on Friday.

Another company reporting figures tomorrow is British Car Auctions, the second-hand car group run by the ebullient Mr David Wickins Helped by acquisitions in the United States, pretax profits are expected to rise to a little over £6m, against £3.7m last time. It has been a busy year for Mr Wickins. He helped to put together a rescue package of finance for Group Lotus, the Norfolk sports car company, and he has been active in several stock market situations with his business associate, Mr Michael Ashcroft, chairman of

Hawley Group Mr Ashcroft, who only recently emereged as a big shareholder in Miss World, is strongly rumoured to have built up a holding in Ms Debbie Moore's Pincapple Dance Studies, which reports half-year results on Wednesday.

Wednesday also brings in-terim results from Ellis & Goldstein, the ladies' clothing manufacturer, wholesaler and retailer. These are expected to show that the company is making good progress towards returning its profits to the level of previous years. In 1982, it made just over £1m and brokers are looking for a 50 per cent

Jeremy Warner

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City Editor's Comment :

Personal judgments

behind the forecasts

Economic forecasts at-

tract much curiosity and

great scepticism. The view

of the cynics was clearly

expressed by Sir John

Mason, former director

general of the Meteorologi-

cal Office, in his presiden-

tial address to the British

universally accepted econ-

omic laws, the models are

very much creatures of their

builders who may introduce

relationships that express

personal or political jud-

But this suggestion is

stoutly opposed in a new

book from the National

Institute of Economic and

Social Research (NIESR)

Employment, Output and

Inflation. On the contrary.

says Mr Andrew Britton,

anthor of the book and the

institute's director, most

economic models - includ-

ing those of the London

Business School (LBS), the

Treasury, and the NIESR -

share the same broadly

structure, despite important

differences of treatment

and interpretation, and they

theoretical

gments," he said.

"Since there are no

Association this year.

sults. On past form, the institute's latest economic

forecasts, due out shortly,

are unlikely to echo LBS

cheer. Sir John still has a

With legislation pending the Stock Exchange is

hardly likely to stir waters

at the Department of Trade

But the proposals last

week for high street invest-

ment shops made by Mr Alex Fletcher, the minister

for corporate and consumer

affairs at the DTI, must

have raised a few eye-

Mr Fletcher, recently returned from the US and

Canada, was much taken

with the bucket shops he

saw there and would like to

see a "network of invest-

ment shops all the way

from Greenock to Gran-

However, he does not

appear to have considered

the four national chains of

high street investment

shops which already exist

Mr Fletcher's idea was

in Britain's high streets .

to encourage more people, with suitable caveats about

risk, to invest their savings

by bringing the right servic-

Go into your high street bank and it will buy shares

for you, although on this

route there may well be a

cost factor to be considered

defensively, that Mr Fletcher was only floating

an idea and that there has

been no reaction from the

Stock Exchange.Indeed Mr

Fletcher's speech last week

had few suggestions of how

the mechanics of invest-

Fletcher, is to use new

technology to link them

with the stock market to

It could happen - but not

without a great deal more

buy and sell.

The idea, says Mr

ment shops would work.

The DTI says rather

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Invest more

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# Investment and

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STOCK EXCHANGES

Friday's close and change on week

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New York: Dow Average: (close) down 25 4 Tokyo: Nikkei Dow Jones Index 9.321 37 down 48.84 Hongkong: Hongkong: Hang Index 826 0 up 41 08

Amsterdam:145 2 down 4.1 Sydney: AO Index 6827 down 58 Frankfurt: Commerzbank index 1006 9 up Brussels: General Index

122 73 down 2.51 Paris: CAC Index 141.3 up Zurich: SKA General 291.9

### **CURRENCIES**

Friday's close and change on week LONDON CLOSE

Sterling \$1 4955 down 65pts Index 83.5 up 0.2 DM 3 9225 up 0.0425 FrF 11 9350 up 0 094 Yen 348 25 down 1.0 Index 126.2 up 0.6

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### INTEREST RATES

**Domestic rates:** Bank base rates 9 Finance houses base rate 10 Discount market loans week

3 month interbank 93/8-95/16 **Euro-currency rates:** 3 month dollar 9,16-9,1/16 3 month DM 5,8-5,4 3 month Fr F13-12,4

US rates Bank prime rate 11.00 Fed funds 948

102/32 ECGD Fixed Rate Sterling Export Finance Scheme Average reference rate for interest period September 7 to October 4, 1983 inclusive: 9.719 per cent.

# GOLD

**London fixed (per ownce):** am \$387 25 pm \$384 50 close \$386.50 (£256 50) New York (close) \$386.50 Krugerrand" (per coin): \$398-399 50 (£266-267) Sovereigns\* (new): \$90-91 (£60.25-65)

# **BOARD MEETINGS**

Sterling Fund, Scott and Robert-son, Tate of Leeds, Viking Resources Trust Finals: Cramphorn: Stothert and Pril
TOMORROW - Interims: Clement Clarks Flight Retuelling, Reed international Finals: A & G Security Electronics, British Car

WEDNESDAY - Interims: Elis and Goldstein Finals: Peters Stores Pineapple Dance Studios, Sateguard industrial investments. Wolserey-Hughes THURSDAY - Interms: Henry

Boot. Computer and Systems. Engineering, Fleming Far Eastern investment Trust. Hambro Investment Trust. Hoover (Quarterly) Milletts Lesure Shops, Northern Securities Trust, Portsmouth and Sections Trust, Finals:
Sunderland Newspapers Finals:
Berry Trust, Intervision Video
Wemyss Investment Trust
FRIDAY - Finals: W. Tyzack, Sons

### **ANNUAL MEETINGS**

TODAY - Epicure Holdings, The Channg Cross Hotel, WC2 (noon). The Globe & Phoenix Gold Mirring Company, 24 Giber Street, London W1 (noon) Industrial Finance & Investment Corporation, The Armousers Hall 81 Coleman Street, EC2 (noon), Jos Holdings, 20 Fenchurch Street EC3 (noon) W E Norton (Hold-ings), Brown Shipley & Company, Founders Court, Lothbury, EC2

noon)
TOMORROW - FMC, Agriculture
House 25/31 Kinghishridge SW1
(noon), Mills & Allien International,
The Glaziers Hair 9 Montague
Close London Bridge SW1 (noon)
Scottish & Mercantille Investment,
The Grant Fastern Hotel FC2 The Great Eastern Hotel EC2

WEDNESDAY - Consolidated Gold Fields, Hotel Inter Continental Grand Ballroom Entrance. One-mammation Place W1 (11 30)
THURSDAY Anvil Petroleum, The Cate Royal 68 Regent Sheet: W1 (noon) Westpool Investment (noon) Westpool Investment Trust Cariton House 33 Robert Adam Street W1 3 001
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FRIDAY Adwest Group, The Dorchester Hotel Park Lane noon). Meet Trade Suppliers, Metral House 62/68 St John Street EC1 (12.30).

# Optimism based on improving profitability of industry

# LBS forecasts sustainable recovery with fewer jobless and 6% inflation

By Frances Williams, Economics Correspondent

Britain is set on a course of ted to a downward path for levelling at 6 to 6½ per cent in imports and a pick-up in not depend on any government sustainable recovery over the inflation next year. This would 1984. next few years, with falling raise people's purchasing power unemployment and no re- and help maintain the momen-surgence in inflation, the Lon- tum of consumer spending. don Business School says in its In a reappraisal of inflation latest economic forecasts pub-

\_It is predicting 2 to 24 per cent growth in 1984 and 1985 after more than 214 per cent this year, inflation settling at around per cent and unemployment falling from an average of 3 mullion next year to 21/2 million

The LBS, whose thinking on the economy closely matches that of Treasury ministers, is among the more optimistic of outside forecasters, many of whom have been predicting a marked slowdown in economic

growth next year

But Mr Nigel Lawson, the Chancellor, has dismissed these misgivings and there are signs that City sentiment is beginning to turn his way.

The main reason for this is the outlook for inflation, where fears that price rises would accelerate next year are fading. Mr Lawson said in his Mansion House speech recently that the atest economic indicators poin-

Exco international has nar-

rowed the field of stockbroking

firms it is seriously interested in

merging with down to one - the big Edinburgh firm of Wood

Talks between Exco's chief

executive, Mr John Gunn, and

a Wood Mackenzie senior

partner, Mr John Chiene, have moved off the preliminary

stage, though no announcement

of the form which any associ-

ation will take is likely this year.

large number of City broking firms which are talking to outsiders about possible links

and the consequences of the

relaxation of Stock Exchange

the Government

rules that has been agreed with

It was confirmed last week

that Midland Bank is in serious

talks with at least one of the big

London firms, while Exco's

competitor as a broadly based

financial services group. Mer-

cantile House, is also known to

be talking about links with

A recent survey on stock-

and the second largest in British

An offer by Allianz Versiche-

rungs. West Germany's leading insurer, to call off its £692m takeover bid for Eagle Star at

the earliest opportunity in

return for seats on the Eagle Star board, is likely to be firmly

of this sort, which suggests it cannot be seriously intended." Mr Christopher Roshier, of

Eagle Star's merchant bank

adviser, Hill Samuel, said

He also stressed that an offer

made some time ago to the

Germans of two seats on the

board would still be open if

Allianz were prepared to accept

not to bid while representatives

were on the board or for 12 months after their departure

and not to use the access to

confidential information that

These included undertakings

the conditions laid down then.

"We have received no offers

rebuffed.

yesterday

institutional equities. Exco do not allow outsiders to own already owns WI Carr Overseas, any more than 30 per cent of a

as international stockbroking stockbroking firm, while there is

firm with a strong presence in a clear reluctance among the

Far Eastern markets, and this Edinburgh firm's 37 partners to

Eagle board unlikely to

take up Allianz offer

trading purposes.

will be of interest to Wood sell out entirely.

Wood Mackenzie is one of a

Mackenzie.

prospects released today, James Capel, the stockbrooking firm, suggests that the pace of price rises will peak at 6 per cent next spring and fall to 4½ per cent by the end of 1984, well below the per cent expected this Christmas. This view is, however, not shared by Capel-Cure Myers, which sees inflation

tomorrow, is also expected to confirm the concern of CBI

leaders that growth could peter

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There is also a natural

affinity between Wood Macken-

zie's rapidly developing per-

formance measurement service and Exco's 51 per cent interest

in Telerate, the United States

Present Stock Exchange rules

There is no reason to suppose

The Office of Fair Trading

that Allianz would be any keener now to accept these

was told by Allianz last week that it would prefer to take its stake in Eagle Star to 40 per cent and win boardroom rep-

But it is clear that the two

sides are as far away from any

form of agreement on how the

two groups can move forward

in harmony as they ever were.

This is likely to become an

increasingly important feature of the OFT's deliberations on

whether to refer the bid to the

Monopolies and Mergers Commission since fierce man-

agement opposition to takeover

conditions than it was then.

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financial information service.

business outside Britain.

Wood Mackenzie in

talks with Exco

The LBS optimism, like that of the Chancellor, is based on the improving profitability of British industry. The LBS

generate a 6½ per cent increase private non-residential intment in 1984, which takes over from consumer spending as the main driving force behind the recovery. The LBS also expects less

demand to be syphoned off by

exports next year. In a special article, Mr Bill Robinson and Mr Geoffrey Dicks blame manufacturing job targets with a tighter fiscal losses over the past 15 years on policy and lower interest rates. losses over the past 15 years on expects the 20 per cent profits rising industrial costs and the This would leave room for tax rise this year and next to tendency of real wages to cuts only if the Government outstrip productivity growth. They urge the Government to reverse the trend by running tighter fiscal policies to bring down interest rates and hence the exchange rate, cutting costs and boosting competitiveness.

The latest LBS forecasts do

CBI warning expected on upturn By Edward Townsend, Industrial Corresp

quarterly trends survey of the Confederation of British Indus-try are that Britain's economic industrial activity. CBI economists said in a report in August that national output could grow by 2 per cent recovery is still slowly gathering this year but then begin to slow pace and should continue into next year, and that exports look in the first few months of 1984. to be picking up after a poor This This represented a downward revision of earlier CBI The survey, to be published

In recent months, ministers have been encouraged by have been encouraged by reveal a greater degree of successive CBI surveys showing cautious optimism

Holiday

groups set

to merge

By Derek Harris Commercial Editor

An agreed bid worth between

£5m and £6m by Hogg Robin-son Travel for Wakefield

Fortune Travel is expected to be announced this week. It would

make Hogg Robinson Travel, part of the Hogg Robinson insurance group, the third largest travel agency chain in Britain, closely challenging Thomas Cook and Pickfords

Talks between Hogg Robin-

son and Holland America Line

(HAL), Wakefield's privately

owned parent company, which has strong Netherlands con-

nexions, have been going on for

But except for a few final

details, including a property-by-property assessment of Wake-

field's 95 travel outlets, most

difficulties appear to have been ironed out. It has paved the way

for a likely announcement by

Hogg Robinson has rather

at least 10 weeks.

the end of this week.

Trave!

The main conclusions likely out next year unless there are that the recovery was under to be drawn from the latest new measures to stimulate way, but CBI leaders have advocated caution.

Ministerial approval, particu-larly from the drier members of the Cabinet, should be more forthcoming, for the results on Friday of an Institute of Directors business opinion survey, the first of a bi-monthly

The first survey is expected to

assume that the Chancellor will in future try to hit his money managed against the odds to nold to its published spending.

In an article in The Director today, Mr Gordon Pepper, the influential stockbroker economist, says that there can be a sustained economic recovery and a fall in unemployment if the Government allows the money supply to grow in real terms, Jonathan Davis writes.

stimulus to the economy. They

Mr Pepper, a partner of W Greenwell, argues that the Government will probably tolerate growth in the real money supply of at least 4 per cent a year, while still sticking to its borrowing and public spending

If this sort of rate is not being achieved, Mr Pepper believes the Government will cut interest rates in order to sustain the momentum of the recovery, even if this means being "relaxed" about nominal monetary growth exceeding its

# Pension association seeks power to expel

The National Association of Pension Funds is seeking power to expel members for bad behaviour, malpractice or breaching the Trust Laws - the only legal control on the funds and their managers.

The association wants approval from its 2,000 members at an extraordinary meeting on November 9. The move comes at a crucial time for the industry. The NAPF has been privately critized for lack of authority and initiative and the regulation of funds by either themselves or a Government is

Last week, Mr Alex Fletcher, Minister for Corporate and Consumer Affairs, made it clear during a conference on self-

the subject of debate.

regulation that all organizations dealing with investments must be accountable to someone. They would either regulate themselves or come under government supervision, he

A big hurdle in the talks is fewer travel outlets than Wake-likely to be Exco's stated aim of field but tops Wakefield's broking commission income eventually owning 100 per cent turnover of around £100m by placed Wood Mackenzie as the of any British stockbroker it almost £50m. Individually both fifth largest stockbrokers overall forms important links with. and Pickford, each of which has more than 200 outlets. The Hogg Robinson and Wakefield outlets are largely

complementary geographically with less than half a dozen overlapping locations.

Wakefield is strong in conur-

bations like London and those in the West Midlands, the North West and in Yorkshire plus a group of outlets in Glasgow. Apart from central London, Hogg Robinson takes in a big swathe of the South-east as far as the south coast. being a director of Eagle Star would give for Allianz's own

Although Wakefield is profitable at the trading level, it is still not making any bottom line contributions to its parent because it is working off losses incurred up to three years ago and is also servicing recent

heavy investments. There has been considerable spending on computerization and early this year it bought Blue Star Travel, a subsidiary of Blue Star Line. This believed to have cost rather more than

Wakefield's expectation was to be near break-even next year, running into bottom line profit the following year.

HAL itself has been running into losses. Intense competition in the North American cruise market, in which HAL is heavily involved, has been often ups the balance of argument in favour of reference eroding profitability.

institutions due out within a month, recommended a Pensions Act to govern the industry in his interim report last year. The NAPF sees no need for an additional statute to govern the behaviour of its members

and points out that fund managers are responsible to pension fund trustees which are in turn governed by the Trust But the NAPF has been

criticized for not being representative of the industry and local authority pension funds want to be admitted to membership of the NAPF executive.

than its major exporting com-

Britain is negotiating 40

foreign deals worth more than £2,000m which it plans to

The Export Credits Guaran-

tee Department signalled its

readiness to guarantee yen-

financed contracts - which offer

considerable savings to overseas

buyers outside Japan by taking advantage of much lower

interest rates on the Tokyo

money markets - in June last

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also growing restless at the lack of an effective organization for parliamentary lobbying.

# predict the economy better than good luck alone could

He mentioned the Pensions industry specifically as an area where proper accountability had not been established.

Professor Jim Gower, whose report on regulation of City

output? Important pension funds are

## But Mr Britton draws a distinction between Keynesian models with moneta-

Keynesian

rist leanings - such as the one used by the LBS - and those of a thorough-going monetarist persuasion such as the Liverpool model run by Professor Patrick Min-

He asks: which fits the evidence of the recent past better? The Liverpool-type proposition that monetary restraint acts primarily on prices, with a relatively small and transient effect on output and jobs as people quickly adjust to expectations of low inflation? Or the prediction of non-monetarist models that curbs on the money supply act only indirectly on prices with proportionately large and long-lived effect on

Nevertheless, even the non-monetarist models can produce very different re-

INTERNATIONAL TRADE

The problem for Britain, the

world leader in the business of

foreign currency financing of

exports, is that it has been far

too adventurous by quoting in

On paper, the advantages accrue mainly to countries

which are generating yen in-flows through their own sales to

Japan, which generally means

Under the latest consensus

arrangements concluded this

month - which covers mini-

capital goods to developing countries - rates as low as 8.5

per cent could be offered. Under

mum interst rates for exports of exposed to international busi-

the new terms, two to five year receive a significant psychologi-

yen-financed

developing nations

Taking the lid off the rising yen

In practice, with most trading

nations expecting the US dollar

to drop in value, buyers have been too frightened to sign yeu

deals. They are expecting the

Japanase currency to harden

and if the yen does rise steadily

in value over he next few years,

they also see the revenue they earn from Japan being worth

Government is now willing to

allow its currency to be more

ness, chances of third country

buyers being willing to accept

per cent interest rate.

# **Theakston** attracts

The takeover struggle for control of T. and R. Theakston, the Yorkshire brewery, is becoming more and more

based brewer. Now another, unidentified brewery has put in a takeover bid which apparently tops the Matthew Brown offer of 64p a share, pricing Theakston at

Keen interest in the York shire brewery has also been expressed by an individual who

The Theakston takeover fight has become increasingly complicated with the founding Theakston family as well as the board split. The first proposal

came from Mr Abrahams.

But this deal was not to the

### third bid Any moves to make the yen first yen deal, and 20 other countries would attract a 10.35 ore widely used as an contracts have since lapsed. per cent interest rate. more widely used as an international currency - as part of Japan's programme to open City Correspondent up its international trading system - could have a more immediate impact on Britain

Theakston, famed for its Old Pecullier strong beer, as already attracted the takeover attentions of Mr Michael Abrahams - the textile tycoon who turned ground the AW (Securities) carpet group in the 1960's - and Mathew Brown, the Blackburn-

taste of Mr Paul Theakston, chairman, who arranged for Brown to make a bid.

year. But it has yet to insure its deals for most developing cal boost.

# Japan Air Lines are taking on new executives every day.

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# BP offshoot begins Arctic drilling Sohio's great Alaskan gamble

project costs.

At midnight tonight the Alaskan government will give BP's US associate company the go-ahead to start a \$30m (£20m) drilling programme in the sea 300 miles inside the Arctic Circle.

The drilling will start at a minute past midnight in 48 feet of water from an artificial island built from gravel at a cost of \$100m. Sohio, which is 53 per cent owned by BP, to pay \$277m for the lease to drill at the site, 30 miles off the existing Prudhoe Bay oilfield.

By December 10 the drilling team will know if the artificial island, now named Mukluk and surrounded by pack ice, is sitting above what is estimated to be an oil field half the size of Prudhoe Bay

With Pruhoe Bay accounting for 10 per cent of US oil reserves, the potential of Mukluk is enormous and would keep Sohio, which effectively means 8P. among the world's and along 800 miles of the gramme."

main producers when the trans-Alaskan pipeline means producers off peak sures to protect the wild life previous exploration in both the South Yellow Sea.

the century. Soho's Alaskan drilling manager Mr Dick Jones, who has been transferred from BP's North Sea team, said: "This could be one of the world's great oilfields. By December 10 we should reach the depth where we think we will hit oil. By mid

> potential oil reserves in the If the Mukluk project does hat oil it will lead to a new boom in Alaska, where the loci economy has been transformed since BP first found oil in the late 1960s. At present, 19 of the 35 drilling

ries in Alaska are idle. New production facilities will be needed and more artificial islands built. A total of 300 wells could be needed on Mukluk with as many as 25 gravel islands. Production at Mukluk would

bring new environment prob-

lems. On shore Prudhoe Bay

stopped for two months. The Sohio engineering team, recognized as the world leader January we should know the research into the whale's habits, estimates that there are

only 3,852 Bowhead whales left Mr Jones said: "There are fears that vibration from the rigs could affect the whales. We also have problems with polar but our main problem is ice.

"We have a US Navy "We have a US Navy A consortium grouping the hovercraft coming soon for Japan National Oil Corporation evaluation and because we will and the US companies Getty be able to go straight from the Oil International (Orient). Such

find significant amounts of oil. The Bowhead whale, which Mr Richard Hubbard, a BP passes Mukluk twice a year on

its annual migration before the sea freezes over completely, will mean drilling will have to be still a very risky business."

bears turning up at the drill sites offshore oil reserves, according

shore to the island across Orient Exploration and Texas patches of unstable ice we Eastern Orient have been should be able to save time and allocated a block in the Pearl money in the drilling pro- River mouth basin. Britain's However, Sobio is aware that in the northern part of the

production towards the end of added billions of dollars to Alaskan and Canadian sectors of the Beaufort Sea have yet to

> geologist, said. "The Mukluk structure is similar to Prudhoe Bay, but no one can make an assumption about production possibilities until we drill the Mukluk well. Even with new scientific aids the oil business is

Peking, (Reuter) - Five foreign oil companies, from the United States, Japan and Britain, have signed contracts to explore and develop China's to the New China News Agency

independent Cluff Oil is to drill

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announced on Friday. The bond markets are very worried about the prospect of inflation. From December 1983 to March 1983, consumer prices in the United States rose at under 2 per cent a year. But in the six months ending September this year.

they rose at about 6 per cent. After the hugh build-up of money growth between July 1982 and June 1983 - about 12 per cent - it is expected that there will be a further acceleration of inflation during 1984 - perhaps to a rate of 8 or 9 per cent a year by nxt

The bond markets cannot get this idea out of their

exceedingly reluctant to bid bond prices up to where the yield will drop significantly. The long Treasury bond - maturing in 30 years - is still yeilding an enormous 11.75

This is not all that concerns the bond market. This week the Treasury has planned to introduce the last of its big fundings for 1983 - a \$16 billion package. Bu Congress has been acting at a snails pace to make the necessary increase in the debt ceiling

What is more, the bond dealers have little or no retail interest in the Treasury paper to look to and consequently they believe they will be holding most of the £16 billion themselves, if and when it actually comes to market.

equally unhappy. The failure of the bond market to achieve a good rally has locked in stock market yields and hence has put a ceiling on stock market prices. The stock markets are worried about the durability of the present economic expansion with good

After all, the Federal Reserve, in a belated attempt to control an inflationary upsurge, has frozen banks' reserves for the past six minths and, as a result, money growth has dropped to 41/2 per cent in the last four months and to I per cent in the past

This very slow growth makes it very likely that there will be a sharp decline in the rate of economic expansion in the first half of 1984.

Special factors have hit the This is no doubt what the stock markets - notably the carnage in the computer world of disinflation was industry and the grave uncermeant to look like.

Dr Robert G. Smith, senior tainties about the major banks' partner in the New York exposure to loans to the Third oney management firm fo Smith Affiliated Capital Cor-The precious metals market are very depressed. Silver has poration pointed to the secular fallen out of bed and gold is forces of disinflation last week. very sickly. These are reflec-He identified: tions of the high level of real 1. The persistent high level of

interest rates in the US. Some real interest rates. 2, The strong dollar, which brave souls are now proclaiming themselves very bullish on

has led to unprecedented trade and current account deficits for the US. These deficits provide a powerful disinflationary drag on the growth of the economy, while the strong dollar has given imports a trememdous

edge over domestic producers. 3. The wave of legislated deregulation among many domestic industries.

Maxwell Newton

USM REVIEW

# Acorn pins hopes of share revival

Advertised as one of the most selling the equipment under the successful names in computers and with the financial expertise the brokers, the shares have ive overseas", he says. continued to lose ground. On Friday they closed at 103p heavy emphasis on sales of its compared with the minimum tender and striking price of launched earlier this year.
120p. The 11.23 million shares Sales of Electron are now were allotted in full amid complaints from the rest of the computer", Mr Curry says. market that the biggest com-pany quoted on the USM had

been overpriced. There are also some doubts in the market over whether Acom can hold on to its the BBC, which comes up for coincided with Acorn's launch. renewal in August next year. The present contract was awarded in 1981 by the BBC which wanted to use Acorn's literacy programmes contained

in two television series.
Under the deal, Acom is allowed to use the BBC name to market and sell its range of BBC microcomputers. which accounted for around 95 to 96 per cent of Acom's total business. The BBC microcomputer almost totally dominates the education market in this

Acorn has already embarked on negotiations with the BBC to the contract renewed. Asked if there was any chance of losing the contract, the joint managing director. Mr Chris-topher Curry, replied, "Oh goodness me, no. They have no intention of going elsewhere".

Mr Curry admits that the RBC microcomputer plays a large part in group profitability but he is still confident of

### Base Lending Rates

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# Acom Computers' performance since it joined the Unlisted Securities Market earlier this month has been abysmal.

Acom label.
"The BBC label has been of of Lazard Brothers, the mer-immense value to UK sales, but chant hankers, and Cazenove, its influence is not so impress-

As a result. Acorn is putting new electron microcomputer exceeding demand for the BBC

Acorn is only too aware of the disappointing performance of the shares since they came to market and Mr Curry attributes much of the blame to events in US where the collapse of several microcomputer contract with computer hardware groups "The City needs to be educated on what this com-

pany's activities are. We are also a software company as well as a hardware manufacturer", he adds. Mr Curry now hopes that the flagging shares price might be revived by the interim figures, due out shortly, and hints that there might be some good news soon on the export front too. Whatever the outcome. Mr Curry is confident



Michael Peters: luring investors with origami

they will be able to restore some of the lost confidence in the City since the shares went into their nosedive. Market stags were having

their appetites whetted last week following details of the French Connection's offer for brokers, and Barclays Merchant Bank are offering 1.8 million shares in the group which

gold, looking to a resurgence

But who can be sure that the

bond markets will not merely

counter any such inflation by

driving nominal interst rates

The oil markets, once the

plaything of speculators, have

also remained very subdued.

The commodity markets as

of inflation in 1984.

the UK. France and the US. The shares are being offered at a fixed price of 123p, which is a rare event in the USM these days. But with only 12 per cent of the company being offered only a few lucky stags likely to be offered enogh stock to make the venture worthwhile.

designs and markets fashions in

French Connection is the invention of Mr Stephen Marks, chairman, who will retain around 80 per cent of the shares worth around £17m. The shares are coming to market on an undemanding P/E of 13.9 and despite the group's poor track record is forecasting pretax profits of £2.8m for the year against £803,000 last year.

Dealings are expected to start next week and the price should have little difficulty in opening around the 135p to 140p level.

A design group undertaking a launch on the USM may be expected to cut a dash. The Michael Peters Group has

prospectus.
Its primary coloured flaps unfold to reveal not only the facts and figures of this design consultancy based in Notting Hill Gate, west London, but also four origami puzzles.

Henderson Crosthwaite,

brokers, enlisted the help of the off-spring of the partners to test whether they are possible - they

The company is hoping to raise £504,000 to finance a move to larger premises. One million shares at 85p are being placed with £50,000 being allocated to those working for the company. The group is capitalised at £4.8m and is being launched with an historic

Turnover has risen from £552,000 in 1979 to £1.867,000 in 1983 with profits of £360,000. The forecast dividend for the year ending in June 1984

is 1.785p per share.

Michael Peters is following design companies Aidcom and Fitch along the path to the USM. But this is the first company to promote itself with radio and television advertising to trumpet their way to the

Michael Clark

### **Unlisted Securities**

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The Bank of England announces that Her Majesty's Treasury has created on 28th October 1983, and has issued to the Bank, additional amounts, as indicated, of each of the Stocks listed

2100 million 3 per cent TREASURY STOCK, 1986 2150 million 2½ per cent EXCHEQUER STOCK, 1987

The price paid by the Sank on Issue was in each case the middle market closing page of the relevant Stock on 28th October 1983 as certified by the Government Broker.

In each case, the amount issued on 28th October 1983 represents a further tranche of the relevant Stock, ranking in all respects part passu with that Stock and subject to the terms and conditions of its prospectus, save as to the particulars therein which related solely to the initial sale of the Stock Copies of the prospectuses for the Stocks listed above, dated 27th February 1981 and 30th December 1982 respectively, may be obtained at the Bank of England, New Issues, Watting Street, London, EC4M 9AA.

Application has been made to the Council of The Stock Exchange for each further tranche of stock to be admitted to the Official List.

The Stocks are repayable at par, and interest is payable half-yearly on the dates shown below.

3 per cent Treasury 19th May 1936 Stock, 1986

Redemption date

Interest payment dates 24th February 24th August

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# **Director** named at Lloyds

Lloyds Bank: Lord Saye and Sele has become a director of the South Midlands regional

Midland Bank: Mr A. E. Robinson, previously regional director, Home Counties, has been made assistant general manager UK operations. Mr J. N. Boreham, previously regional director, Bristol, succeeds Mr Robinson as regional director, Home Counties. Mr A. E. Troop, previously regional director, Exeter, has been appointed regional director, South West.

Johnson & Firth Brown: Mr Roy Shephard joins the board as chief executive

British Aerospace: Air Chief Marshal Sir David Evans, formerly Vice Chief of Defence Staff (Personnel and Logistics). has joined British Aerospace as military adviser to the Aircraft Group, succeeding Air Chief Marshal Sir Denis Smallwood,

Lever Industrial: Mr Barry

**APPOINTMENTS** 

who has retired.

Hartop is to succeed Dr George Gibbons as chairman and managing director. Dr Gibbons will be maintaining his con-nexions with the industry, notably as chairman of the British Institute of Cleaning

F. J. H. Wrothwell Ltd Instice McCullough The word "cause" was a simple

and section 4 of the Salmon and Fresh Water Fisheries Act 1975.

causing injury to the person Restriction of Offensive Weapons
Act 1959 as "any knife which has a
blade which opens automatically by
hand pressure applied to a button.

The Court of Appeal had
held that the category into which a

weapon made for

Law Report October 31 1983

Flick knife is an offensive

The Court of Appeal resolved doubt about whether judicial notice could be taken of a flick knife being an offensive weapon "made for use for causing injury to the person" within section 1(4) of the Prevention of Crimes Act 1953. The Lord Chief Justice, deliveruse for causing injury to the person was a question of fact but...it ing the judgment of the court dismissing an appeal against conviction, stated that judicial admits of only one answer, it is". The opposing argument was based on words in R + Williamson

> may perhaps be circumstances in which it is possible to say there is no evidence to the contrary in a

was misleading.
The appeal was brought by Calvin
Simpson, aged 24, of Fernside
Road, Balham, Loadon, who was particular case".

Paragraph 19-250 of the third supplement to Archbold stated that the decision in Gibson's case was unlikely to be approved by the House of Lords and referred to many situations where it might a seator of life or death for a sealor as the seator of t convicted at Croydon Crown Court (Judge Band QC) of possessing an offensive weapon in a public place.
He was sentenced to three months' imprisonment suspended for two years and fined £100 with one years and fined £100 with one month's imprisonment in default.

Mr David Wolchover, assigned by the Registrar of Criminal Appeals, for the appellant: Mr Arnold Cooper for the Crown.

The LORD CHIEF JUSTICE and that the appeals admitted that the appeals admitted. said that the appellant admitted possessing the flick knife in a public place. He raised a defeace of

reasonable excuse for possession in that he had it for nothing more sinister than for doing electrical work on his car. The jury obviously work on instance.
The trial judge held on the authority of Gibson w Wales (The Times November 2, 1982; [1983] I WLR 393) that it was not open to the appellant to argue that the weapon was not made for use for

causing injury to the person, that is, was not offensive per se. The appellant contended that the judge erred and that the Court of Appeal should not follow the Divisional Court decision in

Regina v Simpson (Calvin) Before Lord Lane, Lord Chief Justice, Mr Justice Mustill and Mr

[Judgment delivered October 28]

notice could be taken of that fac

Justice Leonard.

The flick knife was an easily weapon recognized object, conveniently different defined in section 1(1) of the juries.

spring or other device in or attached sheath knife fell was a matter for the to the handle of the knife, jury because, in effect, it depended sometimes known as a 'flick knife' on the sort of knife which was in the

or "flick gun"..."

In Gibson's case Lord Justice
Griffiths concluded that "a flick
knife is now to be regarded as an offensive weapon per se". Mr Justice
McCullough said that, whether a "flick knife fell on the other side of the line and that such knives came into the category of weapons were offensive per se. Such weapons were offensive per se. Such weapons were "flick knife was an article made for

and that a passage in paragraph 19-250 of the third supplement to Archbold, Criminal Pleading Evi-dence and Practice (41st ed 1982)

marier of life or death for a sailor to marier of the or death for a sallor to be able to cut a rope instantly when wet weather gear and safety harness would render a flick knife in an outside pocket preferable to a sheath knife, and it went on to state: "How the court could say that either as a matter of law or as an irresistible inference of fact a tribunal must decide that a flick knife (perhaps constructed in a country where their sale is legal) was 'made for use for

and a similar assumption seemed to have been made in R v Lawrence (Paul Anthony) ([1973] 1 WLR 329). That was one of the areas in

which there was great scope for unevenness in the administration of the law if it was to be left in each case to a jury to decide whether or not a flick knife was an offensive weapon per se. The identical weapon might be the subject of different decisions by different increase.

Count of the supplement to accordingly.

The passage in the supplement to Archbold was misleading and the editors might consider making the necessary amendments.

Solicitors: Solicitor, Metropolitan Police.

plainly designed by the manufac-turer to be carried conveniently concealed in hand or pocket and to be brought into use with the minimum of delay to the assailant (1977) 67 Cr App R 35) – involving a sheath knife where different considerations applied – "There may perhaps be converted to the assailant and of warning to the victim. There was no pause while a blade was pulled open by hand or removed from its sheath

Smith in his commentary on Gibson's case in [1983] Crim L R 114, it was of importance in the crown court, although not in the magistrates' court, to decide whether the matter should be approached on the basis that judicial notice was taken of the fact that the flick knife was offensive per se or whether, on the other hand, the nature of the knife itself constituted overwhelming evidence that it should be held to be offensive per se.

In the former case the judge was entitled to direct the jury to find the weapon to be offensive per se in the latter. Professor Smith argued, on the authority of the majority speeches in DPP v Stonehouse (1978) AC 55) the matter had to be causing injury to the person is difficult to understand."

In R v Allamby [[1974] IWLR left to the jury to reach, if they so wished, what amounted to a left was assumed that a flick knife was an offensive weapon per se

that a knife, proved to be a flick knife, necessarily was one made for use for causing injury to the person. their Lordships' view was that that was a matter of which judical notice could be taken and the jury directed

# No direct action in tort against sub-agent

Baisamo at ail.

Balsamo v Medici and Another Before Mr Justice Walton [Judgment delivered October 21]

His Lordship held in the Chancery Division that the plaintiff, Carlo Saverio Balsamo, an Italian collector of vintage cars, was cash, producing one of Mr Medici's entitled, as against the first cards as identification.

defendant, Guiseppe Medici, to In the end, the money, some recover from him the sum of £12,462 was handed over in cash by £12,462, being part of the proceeds Mr Morris's wife to someone of sale resulting from the sale of his producing what was in fact a forged 1937 Fraser-Nash BMW 328, card. together with interest thereon since

When Mr Balsamo discovered

December 15, 1981, and that the
action had to be dismissed as dated January 2!, 1981, to which

negligent as could possibly be imagined".

Mr Michael Lerego for the plaintiff, Mr David Ashton for the second defendant; the first defendant was neither present nor

MR JUSTICE WALTON said that Carlo Saverio Balsamo, an Italian resident in Italy, owned a 1937 Fraser-Nash BMW 328 car, which he got his friend, Giuseppe

which he got his triend, Citiseppe Medici, a car dealer, to transport to England for sale by auction with a reserve price of £12,500.

Mr Balsamo realized that there would be expenses and probably remuneration to come off the price, but his instructions uses to real the but his instructions were to pay the remainder by cheque to Mrs Zeochi, his mother-in-law, who had a bank account here. He gave Mr Medici a telephone number in London at which she could be contacted when

Medici, because the receipt of money by a sub-agent was the same as receipt by the agent himself, for the purpose of accountability; see National Employers' Mutual General Insurance Association Ltd v Elphinstone ([1929] W N 134).

Neither agent, nor sub-agent here had accounted to the plaintiff, and the plaintiff was therefore entitled, as against Mr Medici, to damages for breach of contract with interest. It was as plain as a pikestaff that if Mr Morris had owed the plaintiff any duty at all to look after the money, his conduct from first to last the time was ripe.

The sale, took place on November 22, 1981 for £15,000. Mr Medici ber 22, 1981 for £15,000. Mr Medici arranged for a friend, Peter Morris to collect the cheque for the proceeds of sale, to telephone Mrs Zecchi, and to arrange for her to collect the money and, to that end, he gave Mr Morris Mrs Zecchi's name and telephone number. Mr Medici then returned to Italy.

Mr Morris lost his instructions which he had scribbled on an auction catalogue. Somebody must, astutely, have picked up the fact that the proceeds were to be paid to Mrs Zecchi. On his return to Italy Mr Medici told Mr Balsamo that he

Mr Medici told Mr Balsamo that he had arranged for the payment to be made by Mr Morris, and Mr Balsamo said that was all right, as Mr Morris was someone he knew. Mr Morris, having lost the telephone number, had no sure means of finding or identifying Mrs Zecchi. He did not know that she was Mr Balsamo's metheria law.

could be made out in contract, because never at any time had there been any privity of contract between the hope number, had no sure means of finding or identifying Mrs Zecchi. He did not know that she was Mr Balsamo's mother-in-law, plaintiff's money. But there was no

money, his conduct from first to last
was about as negligent as could
possibly be imagined, in that he
took no steps at any stage to check
the identity of the sol-disant Mrs

Mr Lerego conceded that no case

Zecchi.

ciaim against Mr Morris desett on a duty to account as sub-agent, and indeed, having regard to a well settled authority, Lockwood v Abdy ((1845) 14 Sim 437), it could not

possibly have succeeded.

There were no difficulties with

regard to the claim against Mr Medici, because the receipt of

Baisamo at all.

But someone purporting to be Mrs Zecchi got in touch with him, and it was ultimately arranged that someone called "Julian" would call and collect the proceeds of sale in cash, producing one of Mr Medici's cards as identification. plaintiff that Mr Medici had never Mr Morris, because had he done so his Lordship could see no possible answer to it, for Mr Morris had not complied with Mr Medici's instruction to him. In a sense the question was whether the process of litigation could be short circuited, to allow a direct action by the plaintiff against Mr Mortis.

just how far the modern law as to action had to be dismissed as against the second defendant, Peter Morris, who had, at Mr Medici's request, collected from the auctioneers the cheque for the proceeds of sale but whose conduct then, if he had owned any duty of care to the plaintiff, would have been "about as negligent as could possibly be imagined".

What had happened, he issued with a light to which against the should account for money had and received. A defence was put in simply denying receipt thereof, or that he owed any duty of care to the plaintiff, would have been "about as negligent as could possibly be gathered, that he was merely a gathered, that he was merely a gathered, that he was merely a gathered that he was merely a could form the modern law as to negligence had been carried. His location progress that been carried. His location progress that the modern law as to negligence had been carried. His location progress that the modern law as to negligence had been carried. His location progress that the modern law as to negligence had been carried. His location progress that the modern law as to negligence had been carried. His location progress that the word of the modern law as to negligence had been carried. His location progress that the modern law as to negligence had been carried. His location progress that the modern law as to negligence had been carried. His location progress that the own and progress that the modern law as to negligence had been carried. His location progress that the modern law as to negligence had been carried. His location progress that the modern law as to negligence had been carried. His location progress that the modern law as to negligence had been carried. His location progress that the modern law as to negligence had been carried. His location progress that the modern law as to negligence had been carried. His location progress that the modern law as to mean and progress that the modern law as to mean and progress that the modern law as to mean and progress that the modern law as to mean and progress gathered, that he was merely a gratuitous agent.

In November 1981, the writ and statement of claim were amended so as to add Mr Morris as second defendant, in order, basically, to claim that he was accountable for the proceeds of sale, as sub-agent, or alternatively that he was liable in negligence for having parted with right to immediate possession.

afternatively that he was hable in negligence for having parted with the money in the manner indicated. Mr Medici did not appear at the trial, and there was nothing in the allegations in his defence.

Mr Lerego did not pursue the claim against Mr Morris based on a Acknowledging that, in the light of the Junior Books case, the principle, whatever it might be, had been extended beyond bailment to negligent work done by a subcontractor, was it possible to extend it without limit? His Lordship thought not. Otherwise the principle would come perilously close to abrogating completely the concept of privity of

> In order to succeed the plaintiff must show either (i) that the money in Mr Morris's hands was actually the plaintiff's money (if a tracing action could succeed there was no reason why an action in negligence should not lie) or (ii) the plaintiff must ratify Mr Medici's action in handing over the original cheque to Mr Morris which would not have

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nanting over the original cheque to Mr Morris, which would produce the same result.

However, in both cases the plaintiff would have to waive any claim against Mr Medici. In a tracing action he would trace the money, completely by-passing Mr Medici who passes expenditured the Medici, who never actually had the money, while in a ratification action, having ratified placing the money in Mr Morris's hands, he would have ceased to have any cause of action against Mr Medici. Accordingly the plaintiff had no claim in tort against Mr Morris, and

the action as against him must be dismissed.

Solicitors: Wray Smith & Co; Culien & Co, Stratford.

# 'Cause' has common-sense meaning

Yorkshire Water Authority Before Lord Justice Watkins and Mr [Judgment delivered October 26]

English word in everyday usage and it did not become anything different when contained in an Act of Parliament; when, therefore, justices had to consider whether a certain result had been caused by the activities of a defendant, they needed only to apply their common

The Queen's Bench Divisional The Queen's Beach Divisional court so held, dismissing an appeal by the defendant company, F. J. H. Wrothwell Ltd against its conviction by the Pickering Justices on February 26, 1982, on two informations, laid by the Yorkshire Water Authority, alleging breaches of section 2 of the Rivers (Prevention of Pollution) Act 1951 and section 4 of the Salmon and

The defendant company's appeal against conviction on a third information, alleging breach of section 27 of the Public Health Act

which by a system of drainage unknown to Mr Wright had ultimately entered a stream known as Pickering Beck, and not, as expected, the public sewage system.

The defendant company had been convicted of (1) having "caused to enter" the stream poisonous, noxious or polluting matter, contrary to section 2 of the 1951 Act, and (2) having "caused to flow" into waters containing fish liquid matter to such an extent as to cause the waters to be poisonous to or injurious to fish, contrary to section 4 of the 1975 Act.
The defendant company appealed

by case stated arguing that, although by case stated arguing mat, annough the offences were absolute and required no proof of mens rea, it would nevertheless be proper to take into account the defendant's state of mind where the actual result of his act was so different from its experied result that it could not be 1936, was allowed.

Mr John Laws for the defendant company; Mr Shaun Spencer for the calculated in the ordinary course of

anthority.

MR JUSTICE McCULLOUGH said that the defendant company by its director Mr D. Wright had deliberately poured into its drains of the speeches in the House of 12 gallons of Bisidin, a concentrated lords in Alphacell Ltd v Woodward (1972] AC 824) notably per Viscount Dilberge at m. \$2001. that studies on the House of the speeches in the House of Lords in Alphacell Ltd v Woodward (1972) AC 824) notably per Viscount Dilhorne at pp 839H -

840C However, his Lordship did not believe that Viscount Dilhorne had intended in that passage to define the word "cause" or to lay down the approach a tribunal ought to follow.

Even if he had, it appeared that the rest of the House had not so meant, and its view was best aummarised in the speech of Lord Wilberforce at p

The word "cause" was to be given its ordinary common sense meaning and any attempt to introduce refinements was to be deprecated.

If factors such as the ordinary, natural, or probable results of an act, the laws of nature or an act of God, were to be refer into a process. act, the naws or nature or an act of God were to be taken into account, that was part of the exercise of comon sense and it was unwise to build them into propositions of law. Each case depended in its own facts.

Lord Justice Watkins agreed. Solicitors: Memery Crystal & Co. for John Bosomworth & Co, Leeds; Mr J. C. Bastow, Leeds.

Davis beaten but

**England** in lead

England were made to struggle by composure by failing to pot the blue vith the use of the rest. But again spress World Team Classic at the Reardon could not consolidate and

the frame ended with Meo taking the last three colours in a row.

Knowles who had unfortunately

lost both his matches in Saturday's semi-final against Canada, which

England eventually won 4-2, looked a picture of confidence against Griffiths. Knowles, scoring like a machine, ran up the lead of 50-0 in the first frame and increased it to

The picture changed in the second frame with Griffiths taking the lead and making Knowles admire his handiwork for a change.

Griffiths won the frame easily with

breaks of 35 and 32 but the

initiative changed hands again in the third frame with Knowles taking advantage of a costly mistake by the

Welshman and going on to win with breaks of 58 and 49.

FINAL: England lead Water 2-1 (Englan name first). S Davis lost to D Mountoy 2-0 (18-103 18-94): T Mac bt R Reardon 2-0 (58-38, 59-55) T Knowles bt T Griffiths 2-1 (116-0, 14-93

The World Professional Billiards

The World Professional Buhards and Snooker Association announced yesterday that, having considered offers from both the BBC and ITV for television rights to cover the World Professional Snooker Championship they had

accepted the offer from the BBC.

Wales in the final of the State Express World Team Classic at the

Heragon Theatre, Reading, yester-day. After losing the first game,

England went into the interval leading 2-1, but the score might well have been the other way around.

Doug Mountjoy gave Wales a surprize lead by beating Steve Davis 2-0. Tony Meo drew level by beating Ray Reardon 2-0 and in the last match of the afternoon Tony

Knowles defeated Terry Griffiths 2-

Mountjoy started the day giving

Davis - the world champion - a rude shock. In one of the quickest

demolition jobs seen so far the Welshman won both frames with

breaks of 67 and 36 (clearance) in the first and 32 in the second. It was

watching his opponent mopping up.
it was left to Meo to redress the

balance which he did after a hard struggle with Reardon. Meo, who led 54-1 in the first frame, had to beat back a strong challenge by Reardon who missed an easy red near a middle pocket to terminate

what might have been a sizable

With Meo leading 58-26, Rear-

don still had a chance of recovery which he lost when his attempt to

pot the last red just failed. In came Meo to clear the table and win the

frame. It was Meo's turn to fight in the second frame when Reardon

FOOTBALL: QUINTESSENTIAL WOODCOCK CONTRIBUTES TO A DAY OF 140 LEAGUE GOALS

# Reds rush in where defenders and cheque books fear to tread

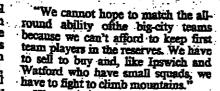
By Stuart Jones, Football Correspondent

Manchester United and Liverpool stood on their own at the summit on Sammay, and watched an avalanche of 140 goals swamp the defences below them. The pair will remain on high for at least another week, and such is the power of their overall equipment, they will almost certainly be waving their red flags there when winter has been left behind.

Liverpool are each week loosening the footholds of weaker mountaineers. First West Han United were blown away in a gale, then Queens Park Rangers slipped on their carpet. and now Luton Town's claims have been buried deep in Anfield's turf. Rush, with five goals, and Dalglish completed the hasty interment. In fact, it was only a last minute decision by the manager, Joe Fagan, to play Rush, who is still suffering from a virus infection.

For all those adventurers that continue to climb ambitiously up the first division slopes, the peak is likely to stay covered in mist and out of reach. Lawrie McMenemy, who has guided Southampton to unexpected heights, conceded as much after he had seen his side halt the progress of Ipswich Town.

"I have a good little team down here," he said, "but if one of my experienced players is out, then it is



His point was emphasized by his lack of cover for Agboola, a centre half ruled out at the last minute. McMenemy, regretting the absence of Waldron, instructed Ken Armstrong to mark Mariner, and "one of the best international forwards around led him a dance during the first half, when we were a shambles at the back".

Toswich are in danger of suffering a greater and more permanent loss. Mariner, the scorer of the first two goals to be conceded by Southampton at The Dell this season, and Wark, twice denied only the tips of Shilton's fingers, created all four openings for each other, as if to underline their case for asking for higher wages.

On average home gates of some 19,000 neither Southampton nor lpswich can afford to meet such demands without cutting costs elsewhere Liverpool with an average attendance of 30,000, Arsenal and Tottenham Hotspur with 33,000, and United, easily the most popular with over 46,000, are among the few clubs rich enough to acquire current

TONY WOODCOCK (left) who scared five goals in Arsenal's 6-2 win at Villa Park on Saturday, had the satisfaction of the satisfa owing they were worth \$1,000 to Arsenal helping make them first division meers of the Canon goal-scoring award

There was a three-way tie, with Liverpool and Mauchester United equal-ling Arsenal's 10 goals, but the London club won by scoring more goals away from

parth division prize of £250 from field. Both had scored 13. The second

internationals without having to make significant sacrifices.

A referee who lost control of his own notebook cost Ipswich as dear on Saturday. Among a series of remarkably inconsistent decisions, he took the name of Kinsella but not of Gernon, after the pair had blocked Wallace's path, and his dismissal of Osman, one of four others he had felt prompted to book, for supposedly elling Williams, was absurd

With Butcher receiving lengthy treatment for a facial wound, Ipswich were down to nine men, and it was only then that Southampton, who had taken a fourth-minute lead when Williams deflected a free kick, and had equalized on the hour through a scrambled effort from Holmes, pushed forward with urgency. The arrival of Moran, on for the injured

Wright, helped.

Wallace struck the bar, and Moran saw Parkin clear his gentle volley off the line, before prodding in the winner after David Armstrong's ferocious drive had rebounded off a post in the final minute. "That was the sharpest I've seen him for a long time when he ran back to the centre circle," McMenemy commented wry-

Rarely have the first division's forwards been so lively either. Woodcock matched Rush's spectacular contribution within a mere 48 minutes, and threatened to go on and equal the feat of Ted Drake, who scored all seven for the same club, Arsenal, at the same ground, Vilia Park, 48 years ago. Villa last lost at home 10 months ago. By the interval, 24 first division goals had been scored, including two from Ramsey and Smith that marked Leicester City's first victory since gaining

promotion.
Although Sheffield Wednesday, the only unbeaten side left in the League, were held by Huddersfield Town, the second division's defences were equally generous. None more so than



Eye to eye: referee Robinson and Butcher tend to disagree

A display to give

**Dutch courage** 

Manchester City's, which collapsed beneath the weight of Newcastle United's fervour. Beardsley, once of Manchester United, claimed three, and Keegan and Waddle one each, in front of the second highest attendance

Swansea lost their home match against Blackburn Rovers, and also their manager, John Toshack, who led them from the fourth division to the

Tottenham

Notts County

By Clive White

If the consumer magazine, Which?, were doing a report on this match, they would easily rate Notts County the better buy. Assembled at

toes (on his worse foot) they ran Tottenham as close as he scoreline suggests, and still never looked any

ore than ordinary.
This was one of those matches

that are as unexciting in reality as they are in prospect. Yet evidently 29,198 other people did not see it that way. It is difficult to know who

takes the more credit these days at

White Hart Lane; the players or the publicity men. Tottenham's average

home gate is second best in the land. However, this was one performance

is certainly not a display to intimidate Dutchmen, and, in particular, Hiele, the goalkeeper of

Feyenoord, whom Tottenham play in the second leg of their Uefa Cup

tie on Wednesday.

Given that they will probably have to score at least one in

Rotterdam to reach the third round

they took an uncomfortably long time to score just one in their own

and 68 days. He had resigned in the morning. He donated £1,000 to the club, now seemingly plummeting as rapidly as they rose, and refused compensation worth an estimated £65,000. There is still some hummility

UTHAMPTON: P Shifter: M Whitlock, S Baker lams, K Armstrong, M Wright (Bub S Moran), mas, M Foyls, F Worthington, D Armstrong, Waterice.
PSWICH TOWN: P Cooper: G Burley, I Gernon,
Parkin, R Osman, T Butcher, J Wark, S McCall,
Mariner, E Knosela, K O'Callpian.
Referent: I Robinson (Sutton Codificien).

shaw, scolded him for lack of it is

the second match of the season. He

had won the corner himself from which he prodded home his ninth

volleyed wide from a good position. But the miss of misses followed six

minutes later when · Archibald managed to fail four yards with the

poalkeeper behind him. Encouragingly, though, the de

fence stood up well to County's brave three-man forward line, even

if Chiedozie pulled tham around somewhat in the second half.

Like Spurs, County are without a few players, though there the similarity ends. Wheras Burkinshaw ponders which internationals to

ponders which internationals to draft in as replacements, Larry Lloyd's team picks itself from 12 fit

mucles have taken a knock recently but both managers thought County looked more compact on Saturday County have hitle time and

more prophetically than intended.
"A lot can happen in a week. A
manager can lose his job."

# the second frame when Reardon drew shead with a break of 30. Meo reduced the lead to 30-17 and appeared to have lost his \$80-43. **SQUASH RACKETS**

Williams the master

Kvant, the world No 15, who led

Geoff Williams, a late substitute Geoff Williams, a late substitute for Garnal Awad, recorded the best win of his career in the World Masters, sponsored by ICI Perspex, at the Spectrum Arena, Warrington, yesterday. He produced a storybook recovery to win 8-10, 1-9, 9-4, 9-7, 9-1 against Magdi Saad, who is the leading to the transpossible. Masters, sponsored by ICI Perspex, at the Spectrum Arena, Warrington, yesterday. He produced a storybook recovery to win 8-10, 1-9, 9-4, 9-7, 9-1 against Magdi Saad, who is the leading Egyptian in this event now that Awad is injured. Williams's win is all the more remarkable as he would not have taken up full-time squash but for pressure from members at a Richmond club where

built with a stern-looking beard, has goal in eight games.

The unfortunate pattern of missed opportunities was set by Falco after 17 seconds when he

World champion at last Perth, (Reuter) - Vicki Cardwell, "It has been a nightmare two years on seed, settled an old score when and I am glad it's all over. Now I top seed, settled an old score when the beat Rhonda Thorne, her fellow Australian, in straight games to win the women's world squash chamicophic have unstandar. Contactly

Johan, the new England No !,

looks almost certain to rea

tomorrow's semi-finals. He won 9-0, 9-5, 9-5 in a mere 30 minutes

against Maqsood Ahmed, the Pakistani who beat Gawain Briars, the British champion, in straight games on Saturday. Jahan intimi-

dated his opponent from the start

pionship here yesterday. Cardwell, who lost the title to Thorne in a marathon five-game final two years ago, dominated throughout to win 9-1, 9-3, 9-4. Afterwards Cardwell, banned from representing her country for two years soon after the 1981 final because of bad behaviour, admitted:

Barnstills bt G Ramsey 9-8, 9-0, 9-0, Wales bt Sweden 3-0. D Murray bt E Lundqvist 9-4, 9-2 9-0; S Washer bt A Sermuelason 9-3, 9-4, 8-5, 9-3; S Tumbull bt L Friden 9-1, 9-4, 9-0. **CURLING** 

### **RUGBY LEAGUE**

# money to put things right. And Lloyd may have even less. With a thought, no doubt, for his old Liverpool colleague, John Toshack, he remarded impishly and perhaps the penalty

By Keith Macklin

Fulham still have lessons to learn before they can make an impact on the first division, sponsored by Slalom Lager. Many of their defeats have been caused primarily by their tendency to commit unnecssary fouls close to their own line, giving away vital penaltics.

away vital penalties.

They did it again at Odsal yesterday and were beaten 21-2 by Bradford Nothern, a leading side badly affected by injuries. After Diamond had kicked a goal for Fulham, Bradford were in front at the first through the state of the st half-time through two penalities by Parrish, both given for needless fouls, and two dropped goals by Carroll.

In the second balf further offences

gave Parrish two more successful kicks, and as the Fulham heads dropped in defence, Northern seized the initiative and scored two tries. Fulham are also error-prone in their handling liable to careless passes which give away possession and sentence the defence to further hard graft. Carroll, the man of them match for Bradford, and Malender, Among the women the surprise a young prop forward playing only his second senior game, scored the Northern tries, Parrish bicked five goals ans Carroll ended with three

In the third and final game of their brief tour, Queensland bear Leeds 58-2 to add to their 40-2 beating of Wigan after their 8-6 defeat in the bruising opening game at Craven Park, Hull. Lewis, the Queensland captain, was in brilliant form at stand-off half and scored two tries. The others came from two tries. The others came from Miles (2). Scott (2), Dowling Kilroy, Brennan, Fullerton-Smith and French, with McNally kicking

seven goals. Widnes remained top of the league after overcoming a brave challenge from Wakefield Trinity, who led at half-time. Basnett scored who get at nativative basistic stored a hat-trick of tries for Widnes. Hull Kingston Rovers continued their excellent form by beating Castleford 18-8 at Wheldon Road, and Oldham picked up another valuable point in a 22-22 draw at Warrington.

can retire and look forward to motherhood knowing I have won the world title".

# Fulham pay | Hay secures Sweden trip

By Iain Mackenzie

Britain's leading team, the Mike Hay rink from Perth, will be representing Scotland in the European championships in Vasteras, Sweden, in mid-December. Hay won five ties in the Scottish qualifying round which finished after three days in Kelso yesterday and will now defend the European and will now defend the European title earned last year in Kirkaldy. The Perth rink were a strong favourite, but the weekend was not without its monments of drama. Twice Hay was taken to an extra end, the second time in the final tie of the men's section when he just got home against the Golden Muirhead rink from Atholl Had Muirhead won, the rinks would have met again in a play off.

Among the women the surprise Among the women the surprise was the poor performance of the Hazel McGregor rink from Perth, Melk J Duhen (Softma), 3. 6 Handerson (Abardsen) 7: W Young (Marces) 7: 1 Pasce (Ataros) 4: Finel placings: Hay 6 eds., Young (Murhead, 3; Pasce, Henderson 2; Dunes 0, woments G Hamilton) 7: 6 Dess (Gross) 7: 8 Anderson (Ayr) 5: Butteress (Girkestly) 7: H McGregor (Perth) 8. Finel placings: Hamilton 17 Torrance (Hamilton) 7: GDess (Gircos) 7: Anderson (Ayr) 5: Butteress (Girkestly) 7: H McGregor (Perth) 8. Finel placings: Hamilton B-6 in play off.

Revenge for Frost

singles innal of the Scandinavian Cup by heating his Indian rival 18-17, 15-2 in this year's competition.

MENS SHOULES: Sent-Gaster P Partitions (Irida), 81-5, 15-9, 15-1.

M Frost (Den), bt Hastomo Arbl (Inso), 15-13, 45-2.

in Printing Denty, or research rate princip, co-ro, 15-8, Final: Prost by Packstone 18-17, 15-2. Printing Printing Styles ER: Semi-depair: Chen Rutchen (China), bt N. Naitsen (Denty, 11-2, 11-6, K. Larsen (Denty, bt Zhu Subica (China), 11-6,

HOCKEY RESULTS

Anglocais: Rampahine/Surray: Andour 1, Octad 1; Barnes 1, Epace 1; Bournamouth and West Hampahine 3, US Pursersons 1; Hambis Chi Boye 1, Old Edwardsons 2; Hambis Chi Boye 1, Old Edwardsons 2; Hambis Chi Boye 1, Old Edwardsons 2; Hambis Chi Boye 1, Old Taumpaiann 3; Working Ct. National Westphoners Bank 2; Portamoush and Southers 1; Old Taumpaiann 3; Marchallessen; Göre Court 1; Worthing 0; Herne Say 2, Madistora 1; Levus 5, Sevenson 6; Lloyd Bank 2; Brighton 0; Old Boccalumbars 1; Marchal Purseth 1; Thames Polytochulc 1; South Saxons 0; Tunbridge West 1; Ext. 1, South Saxons 0; Tunbridge Medical Saxons 0; Tunbridge 0; Saxons 1, Gravesand Q.

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The only others to come within striking distance of qualifying were the Kinross team, skippered by Willie Young. Yet such are the vagaries on the ice that Young suffered the heaviest defeat of the trailing in sither section. Inside 16.

Lyngby, Denmark (Agencies) -Morten Frost of Denmark gained revenge for his defeat by Prakash Padukone in last year's men's singles final of the Scandinavian Com by beaving his India rivel 19

11-5. Pleat: Ruszinen int Larmen 11-5, 11-2.

LONDON LEAGUE. Premier d'Malent Guidford.

1, Slough 2: Teddington 5, Pichmond 1; Tules
HG 3, Seckenham 2: Leaguer Carabridge
University 0, Southgate 3; Dutwich 2, Chagan 0;
Hampstead 2, Maufenhaud 2; Hawte 2, Purley
2: London University 2, Reacting 2: Did
Kingstonians 0, Blackmarth 6; Oxford
University 0, Flounston 5; St. Abarus 1,
Windselon 0; Spenoer 9, Mid-Surrey 0;
Surthon 0, Bromley 5; St. Abarus 1,
Windselon 0; Spenoer 9, Mid-Surrey 0;
Surthon 0, Bromley 5; Ghislotteris 1,
Bedford 2; Brombourne 6, Old Loughtonians 1;
Herisston Magnies 2, Norwich Grassinopaers
2; Long Sulton 2, Pelicans 1; Noriolit
Wandersen 1, Ipswich 0; St. Neoto 2, Fonds 0;
Westell 1, Chelmstord 0.
First division nortic Bury St. Edmands 4,
Royston 1; CU Wandersen 1, Huntingdon 1;
Derekum 2, Patarborough 3; Felfatone 3,
Cambridgeshire Normads 4; Norwich Brides 2,
Bedfordshire Briges 2, Norwich Union 1, Ely 0;
Sudbury 1, Colchester 2; Wisbech 6,
Leptworth 0.

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Ryst division south: Brenhwood C, Gouthand C:
Herwring 2, Southenden 1; Pakisten
Independents C, Croebys 1; Picknameworth 1,
Staverage 2: Upminister 3, Harpston 2;
Welseys Garden City 1, Wanstead C; Weel
Herstordsitre 1, Romford 3,
SOUTH LEAGUE: Presider devisions American
1, Foliastone 1; Anchorisms 4, Cattherfor 2: PROUDE WALES LEAGUE FOR

Manchester United

Wolverhampton Wan.

Twelve months ago the last turday in October saw the end of

Manchester United's reign as League leaders. Liverpool, who had

been hovering ominously at their shoulders, leapt ahead of them as United felf to defeat and were soon

There was never any likelihood

that history would repeat itself on Saturday. It is doubtful whether even at full strength Wolverhamp-

ton Wanderers could give United a game at the moment, And that their 12 remaining fit men account

remaining fit men escaped with

by offering Stapleton the freedom of

are determined to offer Ferruson.

Scottish manager: Aberdeen, however, are equally

adament that the manager who took them to their most important

them to their most important victory, the winning of the European Cup Winners' Cup, will stay with them. Nevertheless, Ferguson has still to sign a new contract at Pittodrie and although he refuse; to comment on his intentions he may not be able to resist the challenge of managing one of the resembles by history childs in

resist the challenge of managing one of the potentially biggest clubs in

them with a pre-Europe tonic and it is certain that the manager will not make up his mind about his future

until after the second leg of the Cup Winners Cup tie with Beveren on Wednesday.

Wednesday.
There was, however, no encouragement for Rangers' hopes of a
European fixture—they play Porto in
Portugal on Wednesday an UEFA
Cup ue in which they lead by only 21 — as their agony continues at
Paisley.
St. Mirren won 3-0; a victory
achieved with surprising case

Birminghadi Alaton Villa

ucrative contract given to any: a

complete control which not even the lsoss of the unlucky Gidman with a

fractured knee five minutes later

Albiston, who supplied the crosses for all three goals, Muhren and Wilkins, revelled in the opportunities offered to dismember

In contrast to their struggling old

a sparkling 5-1 victory over Hiberman to end a run of seven

could disrupt.

are where they are, Humphrey season when opponents had been let giving the ball away and his off the book has not yet been

Ferguson, the much wanted

man, is not talking

As Alex Ferguson steered Aber-against a Rangers side lacking deen back into the leadership of the determination as well as ability. It premier division, with a 3-1 victory was St Mitren's first League win of over Dundee at Dens Park on the season and Rangers' chances of

Saturday, speculation increased that winning through in Portugal were the country's most successful manager would take over at Rangers improved by the inclusion of their from John Greig, who resigned on new signing. Nicholl, the Northern Friday. It is believed that Rangers reland international.

who once supported and then firm partners. Celtic energed from played for the Brox club, the most the shadows of a dismail month with

By Hugh Taylor

Away gozis also enabled York to take

United walk tall but wobble instincts, who might have punished some slipshod mistakes, Wolves were too incompetent to benefit. Rudge, in an unfamiliar attacking role, showed some nice touches and

role, showed some nice touches and
Blair deserved to mark his lone
debut with a goal when United's
defence parted before him, like the
Red Sea before a Moses, as he
dribbled from the halfway line only
to see his angled shot rebound out
from he inside of the far post.

That apart, Balley had as easy an
aftergoon as he could wish fire but the Wolverhampton defence, who found trying to cope with Stapleton, Whiteside and Graham beyond them. United were, however, content with two more beautifully presented and before the foundations. afternoon as he could wish for, but United cannot count on finding conceived goals before half-time, smartly taken by Robson and United cannot count on inding everyone as forgiving as Wolves, MANCHESTER UNITED: G Balley; J.Gidman, Sab R Moses), A Abiston, R Whichs, M Desbury, G McGesen, B Robson, A Muhren, F Stapleton, R Whitestick, A Graham.
WOLVERMANIPTONE P Bradshew; J Planghrey, M Bernett, G Smith, R Coy, A Dodd, K Habbit, W Clarks, A Stair, G Palmer (Sub M Medithers), O Rudge.
Reference G Country (Spannymoor).

Mel uniter Reference convent his Sunt. in the match programme, Ron Atkinson congratulated his team on their previous week's performance the relative respectability of only a 3

- 0 defeat owed more to United's nonchalance than their own efforts.

From the fifth minute when the five-man Wolves' defence gave a concentration which has marked graphic illustration of why the club other games at Old Trafford this

 Luther Blissett, scored his first italian League goal in AC Milan's 4l victory over Lazio on Saturday and Liam Brady sored a penalty in Without Andy Gray, the latest former chib Juventus.

# Draw full of ifs

The draw for the first round proper of the FA Cup today will have a bloated look about it. Of the have a bloated look about it. Of the 28 matches played on Saturday in the fourth qualifying round, 12 have gone to replays. Walthamstow Avenue, who were held to a goalless

Corinthian-Casusals are through to the first round proper for the first time since 1966. A goal by Pardew was enough to beat Merthr Tydfil, who had won away to Bath City in the second qualifying round. Wealdstone also needed only one goal, by Alan Cordice, to knock out Bishop's Stortford, who last season took Middlesbrouth to a replay. Wealdstone have now gone 16 manches without defeat.

Joyce, who scored 49 goals for Sutton United last season, kept has side in the competition with an equalizer against Maidstone United, who had taken the lead through Crowe but now faces a difficult task Hiberman to end a run of seven games without a win. This was a display which signalled a return to form under David Hay, the manager saying: "This was just the boost we needed and now I am looking forward to our UEFA Cup ite against Sporting Lisbon."

Celtic attempt to retrieve a 2-0 deficit from the first leg in Portugal and the abundance of skilful play from the rejuvenated team gave their supporters new hope of European joy. However, Dundee United, who dropped a point to Motherwell at Fir Park in a 2-2 draw, played at their best for only 30 minutes and to add their worries on the eye of their European Cup tie who had skeen the fead inrough Crowe but now faces a difficult task at Sutton in the replay. Duck, another prolific goalscorer, gave Herrow Borough a 1-1 draw at Fisher Athletic with a late equalizer, and Eastwood Town, of the Northern Counties East League,



One for the goal-machine: Archibald clicks (Photograph: Chris Cole)

draw by Burton Albion, have already played eight games in the competition.

Corinthian-Casusals are through

minutes and to add their worries on the eye of their European Cup tie Northern Counties East League, with Standard Liège, they may be without Gough, their Scotland defender, who was taken off on Saunday with a serious knee injury.

The surprising Hearts kept up with the leaders when they completed their first premier division double of the season with a comfortable 2-0 victory over St Iohnstone at Tynecastle.

Sind Eastwood Town, of the Rothern Counties East League, Northern Counties East Le



# The goalscoring machine called Archibald was malfunctioning until the 75th minute when after a series

# of incorrect answers he came up with the right one. His work rate, though, seems to have improved since the manager, Kelth Burkin-

backyard on Saturday.

# manager can lose his job." TOTTENHAM HOTSPURE R. Camerce; Hugison, A. Gaivin, G. Roberts, G. Stevens, Peryman, G. Mabbutt, S. Archbeld, M. Falc G. Hodde, G. Brooks (auph. G. Chocks). NOTTS COUNTY: J. McDonagh: T. Berjam sub. J. McParland, N. Worthington, J. Goodwin, B. Klichine, D. Hunt, P. Richards, Chiedozis, T. Chrietie, M. O'Neal, G. Meir Referee J. E. Martin (Hampshire). Albion's grand plan hits another snag net. Albion reduced the deficit two minutes later, Perry shooting home from close range after Thompson had flicked on Owen's corner, but

By Paul Newman

Batson and Statham, probably the most accomplished pair of full backs in the country, have played together

Birmingham City ...... unspectacular start to the season, saw Saturday's match against Birmingham City and another home game against Notts County this week as launching pads for a serious challenge to Manchester United and Liverpool at the top of the table. That his team disappointed him should perhaps be no surprise, for Albion's recent history is one of unrealized potential. For a club unrealized potential. For a club whose shirts in the last five years have been worn by players of the calibre of Regis, Statham, Barnes, Robson, Cunningham and Moses, the trophy cupboard at The Hawthorns is conspicuously bere.

Wylie can point to injuries as one of the present obstacles to success.

in only three League games since Wylie took charge last summer. West Bromwich Albion, according to the schedule drawn up by Ron ingury list by Mackenzie, Jol and Wylie, their Manager, should have been lying joint third in the first division this morning. Wylie, having guided his side to a solid it Albion had to reorganize after properties the state to the second state of the second state Bennett's departure, but Birming-ham had looked the more accomplished side from the start and indeed it was a mistake by Bennett after six minutes which presented

shot past Barron.

The best move of the match

had flicked on Owen's corner, but otherwise Albion rarely threatened.

Thompson and Regis were largely marked out of the game by Wright and Blake. The previous day Blake had been charged by the Football Association with bringing the game into disrepute for allegedly butting McMahon of Aston Villa two weeks are Central Television who City with their first goal. His attempted clearance was easily blocked by Phillips and Gayle was able to sprint clear of a square Albion defence and drive a heree The best move of the match produced City's second goal, after 72 minutes. Phillips played a perfect pass inside Cowdrill, the Albion left back, to Hopkins, and he took the ball to the byline before chipping a delicate cross to Harford, who headed firmly into the corner of the

ago, Central Television, who provided the FA with evidence of the incident, were refused per-mission by Birmingham to film Saturday's game Saturday's game
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Steve McMahon, the Aston Villa widfield player, has declined to give evidence to an FA inquiry into an alleged head-butting incident involving Birmingham City's Noel

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South of Scotland New Zealanders.

Shortly before the start of Saturday's match at Netherdale. home of the Scotush club champions, Gala, two visitors carried a banner round the field. It read "New Zealand - Undisputed World Champions". It was intended as a gesture of defiance because, for the first time in Scotland, an All Blacks

Their arrival in Britain with 13 uncapped players, acknowledged problems among the forwards during practice, reports of the captain. Stu Wilson's pending retirement, and despite the 22-6 scoreline, a below par performance against Edinburgh in the opening fixture, had combined to put the strong South side into the driving seat. For only the second time in 80

That it was about to do no such thing was obvious long before the last quarter when the tourists put on th points to make the final difference two goals, three tries and two penalty goals to a drop goal and two penalty goals. Even when they were behind, as they were three times, the New Zealanders had the gingerly look of men who had something to prove. Each time the hall went back to the scrum half. Andrew Donald, and then out to Ian Andrew Donast, and then out to land Dunn at first five-eighth, the South faced danger and the ultimate try count of 5–0 tells its own story.

It is a chastening thought for Scottish and indeed British rugby that only three players in the South's XV have not played for Scotland,

that two-thirds of Saturday's side will be at Murrayfield for the international just under a fortnight hence and that the All Blacks were without their recognised front five and their first choice scrum half and full back. Never was the gap in standards so clearly revealed as in

Part of the 10,000 crowd, surprisingsmaller than expected, left before the end, bitterly disappointed. Those with greater sporting instincts and an eagerness to learn, stayed to give the New Zealanders thunderous applause as they left the pitch. In defeat as in victory, the Borderer at least knows first-class rugby when

There was some little excuse for the South, who had three men in the care of the medical profession at t times. Their ageing Jim Aitken, who led Scotland to Calcutta Cup success last season, called off on Friday with influenza. The Jed-Forest youngster. Keith Sudlow, was drafted in for his first representative game; a fiery haptism for any player and especially one only in his second

David Leslie was absent for a while having treatment to a cut around a knee, and in the second half the British Lion lain Paxton, was assisted off suffering from congression. Alustein Company concussion. Alistair Campbell re-placed him. Roy Laidlaw, Aitken's predecessor as Scotland's skipper, took over the leadership and later

"They were faster to every ball and had six or seven men supporting the one in possession while we had maybe three or four. That was the big differed between us; their half backs had time to think what they wanted to do, while John Rutherford and I were put



Caught empty-handed: Mexhed passes the ball as he is tackled by White and Rutherford.

When you meet eight forwards as tall, heavy and mobile as the All Blacks, you are up against it. I don't think Jim Aitken's absence made much difference, and when lain Paxton went off it was a lost cause. anyway.

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anyway.

Two penalty goals by Peter Dods and a drop goal by Rutherford, put the South ahead twice in the first half and once early in the second, but they did not seriously threaten the line throughout the game. The New Zealanders' tries were scored by Stu Wilson (2), Bernie Fraser, Keiran Crowley and Jock Hobbs. Cowley kicked two penalty goals

Price: proved fitness

Price earns a

Welsh recall

Welsh forward, has been recalled to

the international squad. He was omitted from the 31 players selected for the game against Rumania in Bucharest on November 12 because,

according to the national coach.
John Bevan, "he had played only
two games since he returned from
the Lions tour, and was regarded as

proved his fitness."

The squad trained at the National

Stadium in Cardiff without him

Stadam in Carditi without nms yesterday, but he is expected to join them later. Also missing were Adrian Hadley the Cardiff wing, who is suffering from tonsilitus. David Bishop, the Pontypool scram half, with a leg injury, and Carl Dennehy, the Ebbq Vale flanker, with a neck injury.

• Gerry McLoughn, the Irish and

Lions prop forward, who was suspended for two months by the

Munster branch of the IRFU, has been dropped from the Irish squad.

were taken over by Hamiyn, who landed five conversions and a penalty. The Gloucester tries were scored by Smith, Price, Boyle – two

On the club scene it was a high-scoring weekend with Bath, Liver-pool and Leicester all putting more than 60 points on the board— although Stewart's— Melville were the biggest winners, 94-8 against Leith Academicals. Pride of place

goes to Bath, who were allowed two soft tries against a weekened Neath by the French referee and finished up 67-0 victors. Palmer scored two

tries and achieved 10 conversions

Richmond came from behind to

defeat Rosslyn Park 22-15 at the Athletic Ground in their London

Merit Table match. Janes kicked four penalties and converted a try by Stephenson. Conner, the scrum

half, scored the other Richmond to and Park's tries came from Carr and

and Crawley with Graves convert-ing both and landing a penalty. In the London exiles match, Irish beat

and Trick ran in three tries.

each - Taylor and Baker.

with a neck injury.

Australians held by Police French Police XV 15, Australians 15

Le Cresent (Renter) - A French awarded to the Australians were in Police XV held the touring kicking range and Michael Lynagh Asstralians to an unexpected 15-15 scored with three. He also converted draw on Saturday. The Australians the only try of the match, sorred by were penalized 15 times by Guy Duncan Hall. Bob Dwyer, the Adstrations to an unexpected 15-15 scored with three. He also converted draw on Saturday. The Australians the only try of the match, sorred by were penalized 15 times by Guy Duncan Hall. Bob Dwyer, the Mannette, the referee, and Piere Australian coach, said "I thought Mathias hed 10 penalty attempts. He succeeded with five of them.

Only four of the 10 penalties under the circumstances did well."

half almost the entire first half, llowing them to escape on just three

The first time they gained their

freedom Harlequins produced exhausting movement that had forwards and backs swapping passes

with a definess that they were unable to reproduce in the rest of

# **Pontypool machine** crushes Bridgend

By Gerald Davies

**Bridgend** 

Pontypool.. It was a clear autumn day, the sky cloudless blue, the conditions full matters not a jot to Pontypool. Come rain or sunshine the heavyweight machine remains on nearyweight machine tentains on automatic pilot and if it splutters now and again, as it did when they carelessly lost their only game of the season so far against Cardiff 10 days

season so far against Caront 10 days ago. it grinds remorselessly on. Pontypool at their own game, a sure Pontypool steamrollered Ebbw Vale recipe for disaster. Bishop dropped in midweek, scoring 57 points without conceding one, and their penalty.

After the interval from a scrum and the Bridgend post, Butler

Peter Lewis and Howell Davies
Exchanged penalties before Gallagher scored a try in the corner after
Bishop had come away from a ruck.
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Bishop had come away from a tuck. Pontypool half Davies kicked brings his tally to 100 points this another penalty before Goldsworthy extended the visitors' lead with a

dropped goal. the form of individual players in their own, moving the ball through preparation for the international half a dozen pairs of hands before against Romania in a fortnight's Hutchins scored the irv. against Romania in a lorinight's time. Jeff Squire was back, showing that he will be required for the stern test which lies ahead in Bucharest. Graham Price, though short of match practice, was as powerful as ever.

In the Bridgend side, everyone or 50 one gathered from the crowd's expectant murmur – looked to Mark

Full China School Lies, M. Devises, M. Tigoy, P. Danial, R. Griffits, G. Webbe, D. Thomas, G. Williams (capt). M. Griffits, W. Hall, B. Howe, C. O'Calagrian, R. Gomelius, I, Davise, M. Budde, S. Penty-Elis, Penty-Elis, P. L. Jones, S. O'Donglius, G. Price, J. Squire, J. Perdina, K. Moseley, M. Brown, E. Buller (capt). Perdina, K. Moseley, M. Brown, E. Buller (capt). Perdina, K. Moseley, M. Brown, E. Buller (capt). Perdina K. Moseley, M. Brown, E. Buller (capt). Perdina K. Milliams (capt). M. Griffits. W. Hall, B. Howe, C. O'Calagrian, R. Comelius, I, Davise, M. Bulliams (capt). M. Griffits. W. Hall, B. Howe, C. O'Calagrian, R. Comelius, I, Davise, M. Bulliams (capt). M. Griffits. W. Hall, B. Howe, C. O'Calagrian, R. Comelius, I, Davise, M. Bulliams (capt). M. Griffits. W. Hall, B. Howe, C. O'Calagrian, R. Comelius, I, Davise, M. Bulliams (capt). M. Griffits. W. Hall, B. Howe, C. O'Calagrian, R. Comelius, I, Davise, M. Bulliams (capt). M. Griffits. W. Hall, B. Howe, C. O'Calagrian, R. Comelius, I, Davise, M. Bulliams (capt). M. Hall, B. Howe, C. O'Calagrian, R. Comelius, I, Davise, M. Bulliams (capt). M. Hall, B. Howe, C. O'Calagrian, R. Comelius, I, Davise, M. Bulliams (capt). M. Hall, B. Howe, C. O'Calagrian, R. Comelius, I, Davise, M. Bulliams (capt). M. Hall, B. Howe, C. O'Calagrian, R. Comelius, I, Davise, M. Bulliams (capt). M. Hall, B. Howe, C. O'Calagrian, R. Comelius, I, Davise, M. Bulliams (capt). M. Hall, B. Howe, C. O'Calagrian, R. Comelius, I, Davise, M. Bulliams (capt). M. Hall, B. Howe, C. O'Calagrian, R. Comelius, I, Da

he is the rising star on the wing. He did not let them down. With his side try of the highest class. At the end of the three quarter movement he glided nonchalantly outside his opposite number and with a swift change of pace did the same to Peter

Davies converted. Unaccountably the other wing were ignored for the rest of the afternoon Bridgend preferred to take on Pontypool at their own game, a sure

dropped goals to Bridgend's goal and two penalties was their biggest ever at The Brewery Field.

Pontypool, now comfortably in the lead, finished the afternoon with The match gave occasion to study an excellent combined movement of

# Referee sets a trend to spare spectators

Harlequins London Welsh ...

If you are going to set a trend in rugby, the most appropriate place to do it must be Twickenham. The referee, R M Glass, had obviously decided that the paying customers had had enough comedy of errors produced by London Welsh and prought the curtain down on the first half five minutes early. It is a pity he did not give a repeat performance in the second half. In future, perhaps, if referees feel their match is boring or otherwise

unattractive, they could lop off minutes as a penalty. There was little ment in this ment table match for the Welsh exiles as they played m front of their newly-elevated fellow countrymen, Neil Kinnock, Leader of the Opposition.
In a display that at times bordered on the farcical, London

Weish tossed away points by the bucketfull and tumbled to defeat by goals.

Their scrum half, George, missed

with six kickable penalty attempts; five of them from almost in front of the posts and their full back, Avery, presented Hariequins with their second try by punting the ball gently into the hands of Cramb on the 22metre line. A simple transfer of the ball through Halsey to Claxton and the prop forward collected the simplest of tries.

What must have been most galling for the London Welsh supporters was that their team kept

# **Bedford** are caught in a swarm

By Gordon Allan

Bedford ....

Wasps are still unbeaten this season. Ten out of 10 is their record, top of the class their position. They beat Bedford at Sudbury on Saturday by three goals, five tries and two penalty goals to a try, and with a little more finesse they would have put a half century on the board with the greatest of ease.

Stringer had another good game. He is in the mood these days, as if he senses that before the end of next March he will have a real England cap to hang up inside his front door. not just the sort they give to replacements. He scored two tries and kicked three conversions and two penalties - a match winning performance, except that there was no match to win. It was too one-

There was nothing wrong with Bedford's spirit. Egged on by Peck and Smith, they ran at Wasps at every opportunity. The snag was that they did not have the skill to run round or through them. All their attacks came to a shuddering halt, in tackle, ruck or mani, and almost almost it was Wasps who smussled always it was Wasps who smuggled the ball away. Pegler scored Wasns' running 45 metres unmolested.

The Wasps pack was a massive hive of industry, with Emeruwa burrowing and covering as hard as anybody, inspired by the thought of Twickenham and the sort of game he will need to play for London against the All Blacks. Davies kicked masterfully and the threequarters, although not a fluent line, were penetrative enough. Emeruwa, Cullen (2), Sumner

and - as usual - Cardus, who went through the middle like a shell through cardboard, scored the other Wasps tries. Walford scored a try for which was the only time Bedford were in the Wasps' 22 in the second

Quadir's unchanged spell of 32.4

Quadir, who took a match-winning five for 15 last week against a South Australia country side in a one-day same should be a south and a south game, showed no signs of the achilles tendon injury which forced

him to leave the field on Friday during the state's first innings. **GYMNASTICS** 

the match. It brought a try for their hooker, Olver, which their admir-able full back Dudman converted. With the Harlequins' line under siege most of the time, their captain, Cooke, marshalled his defensive forces in commendable style. A forceful character, he rode his team's luck with a belligerent abandon that inspired his infantry to provide a watertight rearguard.

Only the London Welsh centre, Hughes, had the guile or the elusiveness to penetrate effectively.

But he lacked support at the crucial
stage and try-scoring opportunities
were squandered. London Welsh

points came from two penalty goals by Avery. by AVETY.

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Bowning. Referee: R M Glass (London). Glasgow in the Scottish inter-district championship beat North and Midlands 18-13 at Inverness on Saturday thanks to two tries each from scrum half Sandy Service and

hack Keith Hodgkinson. Edinburgh defeated the Anglo-Scots

## Liverpool stretch their legs By Michael Stevenson

Liverpool.....

elicited a performance of breathtak-ing virtuosity from Liverpool, whose rugby, not to over-state the case, would have been rather different if Gosforth or Orrell had

Poor Otley, could only marvel at the dexterity and variety of Livepool's attack and sigh thankfully that a quiet, almost dull period in the second half, guaranteed the score would be kept well away from the fatal three figures. Their scrum half, Ransey, played well and, after Gray had gone off with an injured hand. Garforth played as bravely at full back as previously he had done

individual performance for Liver-pool. Killen, their right wing, apart from scoring three tries, kicked so beautifully that his personal contribution to his side's win by nine goals, three tries and a penalty to a

scored tries for Liverpool. Killer contributed nine conversions and a penalty, and Hargreaves scored Otley's try. There were two secon half replacements for Liverpool Aitcheson for Everett and O'Brier

Azad spins web for Greenidge after West Indies fight back

Gavaskar and a personal Test best of 159 by Vengsarkar. Binny contributed a flamboyant 52, only his third Test half-century.
Fears that the Indian attack probably have scored 75 centuries". Gavaskar has made a hundred

would prove as ineffective here as the West Indian fast bowlers, proved groundless when Manan Lai and Kapil Dev soon had Greenidge and Haynes in trouble. Several balls from Madan Lai kept low and rapped the batsmen on the pads. But the breakthrough did

not come unul Kapil introduced a double spin attack of Azad and Shastri, the left arm bowler. When Greenidge was out with the total 44. Haynes was joined by Davis as night watchman. After today's rest day, Kapil Dev will try to avenge West Indies' victory by an innings at 83 runs in the first test at

Kanpur.

India started the day with an overnight tally of 299 for three and added 165 runs for the remaining and added 165 runs for the ru added 165 runs for the remaining seven wickets with a gradually decreasing run rate. Vengasarkar was, however, spared twice, at 130 and 148, when he was dropped by Holding bimself in the slips off the

SUNIL GAVASKAR (right), who scored 121 for India against West India on Saturday, equalled Sir Donald Bradman's record of 29 Test metch hundreds and also became the third man to score more than 8,000 runs after Sir Garfield Sobers

(8,114).
To put the feat into perspective, Bradman's 29 hundreds came from 52 Tests, and Gavaskar's from 95.
"I don't think it is fair to call it a record... It is more an achieve ment, Cavaskar said. "Han Bradman played 95 Tests he would

before he was out caught by Richards at the second ship off Holding. He stayed stayed at the crease for 370 minutes, int 20 four and one six. Binny, the all rounder

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# Qadir baffles state batsmen

bowled and runs conceded.

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Quadr's victims included inc.
South Australian captain and Test
batsman, David Hookes, who was
bowled round his legs for 35. But
Hookes felt the Quair could come in
for punishment later in the season.

He seems to bowl too full for Australia There are a lot of drivable balls mixed up with the shorter

Adelaide (Reuter) – Abdul Quadir, the Pakistan leg-spinner, showed he could again be Australia's tormentor in the forthcoming Test series when he took seven wickets for 122 yesterday and put with the number of loose balls he braided and runs conceded. his learn on course for victory over

who were three runs ahead on first moings, for 243. The openers, Mohsin Khan and Mudassar Nazar. then added 70 before the close, leaving the Pakistani's needing another 177 to win with all 10 wickets intact and the whole of the

wickets intact and the whole of the fourth and final day remaining.

Quadir. Pakistan's leading wicket-taker when they white-washed Australia in three-test home series 12 months ago, baffled South Australia with his leg breaks.

Googlies and top spinners as the last seven wickets tumbled for 92.

Quadir, who took a match-winning fine for 15 lest were against a South

ones" Hookes added.

Uproar as Chinese has to settle for bronze

Budapest (Reuter) — A-near-cast pacity audience erupted in a storm of booing and whistling when China's Li Ning was denied a gold nastique gold insignia for performmedal in the individual rings competition on the final day of the world gymnastics championships.

Li, favourite for the title after leading the points standings in the team competition, was awarded the points standings in the team competition, was awarded to be added to the points of the team competition was equally the points of the points o

pectators made it abundantly was designed and the noise in Budapest's decision and the noise in Budapest's decision and the noise in Budapest's decision and the noise in Budapest's deafen
Of the British women, Kathleen Manchester, stood out indoor sports stadium was deafen-ing as the audience demonstrated its Williams of Manchester, stood out disapproval. The Chinese were astounded and the booing changed to applause as they rushed across to the international jury to lodge an

immediate protest.

Belozertchev, who won the gold for the pommel horse and silver for the floor, took his medals tally to five, which included four gold medals. The Russian confirmed his status as the outcomedium male. status as the outstanding male gymnast of the championships with 10 points on the high bar.

Peter Aykroyd writes: The British return today with mixed feelings. Hopes had been high that both the men's and women's team could have improved their respective world rankings of seventeenth and twelfth. Instead, both teams finished in seventeenth position, which qualified each to send just two gymnasts to the Olympic Games next July.

However the men's performance

was meritorious in a competition where standards have advanced significantly. The men scored 562.15 - 10 points better than any previous British achievement Moreover, three gymnasts

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CYCLING WANGARIH, NEW ZEALARD: World Junior Charagionshitz 1, 5 Linct (Den): 2, 0 Emellanov (USSR): 3, M Gozzi (Swe).

team competition, was awarded the team competition was equally

only 9.950 for his performance the best ever by a British gyumast. today, missing the gold by 0.025 of a He thus failed by only 0.3 of a point point. The outstanding 16-year-old to qualify among the 36 leading Russian Dmitri Belozertchev and gymnasts for the individual overall Japan's Koji Gushiken both recordinal, a feat accomplished only once an aximum 10-point scores to before by a British male gymnast finish equal first. Li had to settle for Ian Neale at Strasbourg in 1978. the bronze.

Morris, who is British champion,
The Chinese camp and the concluded his outstanding spectators made it abundantly clear performance with a distinguished

in the compulsory exercises with a worthy 9.70 marking on the asymmetric bars. The current search for a women's national coach by the British Amateur Gymnastic Association will no doubt be stepped up after the team's drop in

Lita-White national changionships, (Wembley): Vesit: S Lamer (Bromsgrove) Asymmetric Bar: L Thomas (Hestindhy) Beam: T Lee (Catney Island) Floor: J McCartiny (Loughton) Team: East Region. (Loughton) Team: East Region.
WOMEN': Vest: 1 Stoyenow. (Bull, 19.825; 2 L.
Agache (Pomarais) and E Szabo (Rom), 19.800.
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Agache (Porri, and E Szabo (Rom), 19.800.
Base: 1 O Mostepanova (USSR), 19.776; 2 H.
Richa (GZ), 19.750; 3 Agache (Rom), 19.675. Riche (GZ), 19.750; 3 Agache (Rom), 19.575.

MER: Floor: 1 Tong Fei (China), 19.900 pts; 2 D
Belozarchey (USSR), 19.879; 3 Li Ning
(China), 19.800. Feminal Heraet: 1 O
Belozarchey (USSR), 20.000; 2 G Gazzophy
(Hungsry): and Li Xlaoing (China), 19.950.

Ringer, 1 D : Belozarchey (USSR), and K
Gushken (Jap), 19.926; 3 Li Ning (China), 19.900. Yasile: 1 A Abopian (USSR), 29.975; 2 Li
Ning (China), 19.950; 3 B Janeth (EQ), 19.252.

Parallel Barz: 1 Viacinir Artemov and Lou Yan
(China), 19.950; 3 Tong Fei (China), and
Sotomura (Jap), 19.550; 1 Tong Fei (China), and
Sotomura (Jap), 19.550; 2 P Vaukone
(Fri), and A Pogorelov (USSR), 19.825.

FLOOR: 1 E Szubo (Rom), 19.975; 2 O
Moslepanova (USSR), 19.950; 3 B Steyanova
(Bul), 19.950;

SWIMMING

British sport was back in action at the Scottish Master Championships in Glasgow over the weekend when Duncan Goodhaw delighted himself and spectators by winning four gold medals Atholo Still writes. Good hew struck gold in the 50 metres freestyle (25.68eec) 200 metres individual medley (2min 22.79sec), 200 metres breaststroke (2min 34sec) and 100 metres breaststroke

remarkable because among current British swimmers, only Adrian Moorhouse, the Commonwealth and European champion, could confidently be expected to defeat the Olympic champion, even in his Olympic champion, even in ms present ring-rusty condition. Goodnew could clearly have gone faster and there is no doubt that he could mount, at the very least, an honourable defence of his Olympic title in Los Angeles next year, were t not for the laws which cut short the careers of swimmers such as Goodhew and David Wilkie, while permitting the participation in the Olympic Games of a picthora of other sportsmen whose professiona-

Also suffering from the anomalies of amateurism is Jack Hale, aged 61. of Hull who reaped a harvest of seven golds in seven swims in Glasgow. Because he once was a swimming coach, he is now deemed a professional and therefore cannot compete in his native England. Yet he is undoubtedly one of the greatest swimmers of all time, having set five world records at the American Masters Championships earlier this year. His victory yesterday in the 50 metres freestyle (30.52sec), 100 metres freestyle (1min 06.98sec) and 50 metres butterfly (32.94sec), were performances of which most swimmers half his age would be

### FOR THE RECORD

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2, H Simon (Aust), Gladstone, 0, 31,32; 3, L
Edgar (GB), Everast Forever, 0, 31,32; 4, M
Robert (Fr), Grand Cotur, 0, 31,92; 5, F Liggler
(WG), Rodrey, 0, 39,02; 5, T Fribmann (Aust),
Artzona, 0, 41,85. BASKETBALL

NATIONAL LEAGUE: First division: Bracinell
Prates 30. Brighton Bears 57: Bolton 58,
Sunderland 89; Memohester Glants 65,
Birminoplam Bullets 101; Solent Stars 100,
Doncester 80; Crystal Palace 78, Kingston 78:
Hernel Hempsteed 98, Leicester 104;
Sunderland 58, Liverpool 77. Second division:
Watford Royals 52, Merseskie Mustangs 98;
Calderdele Explorers 102, Colchester 88;
Nottingham 74, Plymouth Raiders 86; Canden
67, Gatesheed 84, Bracinor Mythorealiters 99,
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68. 67: 202: Hayes 70. 68. 67. Pohl 66. 71. 66;
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68. 67: 202: Hayes 70. 68. 67. Pohl 66. 71. 67;
Smores 70. 69. 68. Miller 72. 68. 55.
PRISSANE: Australian Open: Final Scores (All Australians): 276: March 69: 70, 70, 67; 277:
Gele 68. 71. 68, 71; 278: Sanicr 70, 72, 68, 71;
206: Shearer 70. 68, 69. 73. Setten 71, 68, 70,
71. Colchester 46, Marchester 69; Northampton 86, Scient Suns 48; London YMCA Bobcatt 27, Nothingham 55; Brighton Waspa 59, Southgape 112.

Notingham 55; Brighton Waapa 59, Southgate
112.
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Jersey Nest 128, Alama Hawks 108; New York
Knicks 113. Cleveland Cavaliers 108; Detreit
Pintons 127, Boston Ceffica 121; Los Angeles
Lakers 120, Karsses Chy Kings 107; Mewaudpa
Bucks 104, Indiana Pacers 85; Derruer Nageles
138, Unah Jazz 125; Portland Trail Blazers 107,
San Diego Calopers 93; Golden State Warnfors
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Lakers 120, Uhah Jazz 115; Chicago Buffs 164,
étew Jersey Nets 87; Dalas Mayericks 120,
Phoenix Suns 103; San Diego Cippers 141,
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37, Portland Irail Blazers 95.

BOXING 71. YOUNG, Japan. Cocs-Cole Championship (US unless string): Lending Final Scores: 27%; Indier 71, 70, 88, 67; 27%; Barber 71, 68, 68, 71; 27%; Barber 71, 68, 68, 70; Stewer 70, 70, 70, 72, 283; Devicenzo (Arg) 73, 67, 58, 75; 285; Ferse 71, 71, 71, 72, Harney 74, 69, 73, 67; 286; Casper 72, 73, 69, 72, 87; 73; 73; 73; 73; 73; 74, 71, 74, 71, 74 ICE HOCKEY

ICE HOCKEY

NATIONAL LEAGUE PRIday: Toronto Mapie
Leafs 5, New York Rangers 2; Buffalo Sabres
3, Los Angales Kings 3; Calgary Flames 7,
Wiralpeg Jets 1; Yancouwer Cassicias 5,
Nartions Whaless 4, Saturdays New York
Islanders 5, New Jessey Devils 3; Estronton
Ollers 3, Montreet Canadiens 1; Los Angeles,
Kings 5, Toronto Mapie Leafs 5; Philadelphia
Pyers 3, Philabergh Penguins 1; Defroit Rad
Wings 4, Cuebec Nordiques 5; Boston Brules
3, St Louis blues 2; Washington Capitals 6,
Jemesota North Stars 1. ICE SKATING

HALIFAX, Nova Scotia: Free-Stating: Final pladings: Merc 1, 8" ORSER (Carly-28; 2, 3; Figoratis (Pol), 8,0; 3, M Ogawa (Japan), 8,2; Woman; 1, K Witz (ES), 3,2; 2, K Thomson (Carl, 4,8; 3, T Crin (US), 5,8; ica Dasper Final STANDINGS: 1, T Wilson and R. McCall (Clin), 2,5; 2, W Sessions and S Williams (GB), 4,0; 3, N Annenico and S Sestembrio 61559 A0. 3. . T Wilson and R McCall (Can), ons and S Williams (GB), 4.0; 3, LACROSSE
NORTH OF ENGLAND LEAGUE: First division:
Cheade 14, Old Holmstens 7: Mellor 16.
Ticsperiey 12; Sterfield University 16, Old
Waconians 4; South Manchester &
Wythenshave 6, Asmon 8: Urmstee 8,
Stockport 15.
SOUTH OF ENGLAND SENSOR FLAGE: First
round: Bedienham 6, Hilloroft10; Chipstead 20.
Lee 30. COUTH OF ENGLAND LEAGUE: First division:

ROAD RUNNING VERSAELES: Paris to Versalles (17tm); 1, E Putemane (Bel), Stears Obsects; 2, N Mar (68), 50.12; 3, B. Ford (68), 51,14; 4, T Hatchings (GB, 51,16, Other Ethian placings 6, J Gouter, 51,34; 9, S Fornier, 51,34; 12, G Ragel, 51,58; 14, J Vightman, 52,11; 15, K Patry, 52,19.

SQUASH RACKETS ERTH: Women's world championships: V archeel (Aus) bt R Thome (Aus) 9-1, 9-3, 9-4.

COLOGNE: Grand Pric Semi-finals: M Doyle (re), bt B Mitton (SA), 3-6, 6-1, 6-4; H-D Bevini (WG) bt P Slovii (C2), 1-6, 6-1, 6-1. TENPIN BOWLING CARACAS: World championships: Finals: Merc 1, T Carleto (US), 682; 2. M Karleson (Swe); 656; 3. R Allerby (Carl). Women: 1, L Sulfaren (Swe), 605; 2. C Almeida (US), 604; 3.K Inebu (Japan).

**VOLLEYBALL** 

# Same old Blues at Northampton

There are only three Saturday's jett for Oxford and Cambridge octore Twickenham. At this stage Cambridge must be favourites to record their fourth successive victory in the University match, although both sides have had problems with injuries and results against the clubs can be misleading.

Mark Bailey, the Cambridge
captain, believes that his team is "potentially as god as last season".
This is surprising as Cambridge
have only five Blues in residence

class ciubs but it's frustrating to keep losing after building-up a On Saturday it was a familiar story, with Cambridge gaining a 14-U advantage at Northampton. However, they let in a soft try before half-time and eventually lost 17-24 after being worn down by heavier forwards in the second half.

**Tour match** 

Club matches

and not all of them are available.
"We have yet to realize our full potential", Bailey said yesterday.
"It's pleasing to compete against the

hero of last year's Univesity match, kicked a conversion and penalty. So

Northampton have now beaten both universities on successive At Kingsholm, Oxford lost their At Kingshofm, Oxford lost their captain, Hugo MacNeill, after 15 minutes against Gloucester. He went off with concussion and the University played the last 20 minutes of the match with only seven forwards. They were also missing two key backs - Crowe, their former captain and an Australian international, and Cole-

their running game. Barnes, who kicked a penalty, a dropped goal and a conversion, is suffering from a nagging shoulder injury which plagued him through-out the match. Oxford's try was scored by Dominic Hogg, younger brother of Bristol's Simon Hogg.

man - and this played havoc with

This is the last fixture for the time Gloucester. The club could have Cambridge scored three tries - through Bailey, Martin and Patterson-Brown. Rob Andrew, the conversions. The kicking duties

> Scottish Inter-district SEVEN COUNTIES MERIT TABLE: Upper Clasten L. Woodford St.
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> SOUTHERN MERIT TABLE: Guidford and Goddaring 12. Bournemouth 14; Henley 22, Salisbury 6. KENT MERIT TABLE: Medway 25, Bromley 8; Old Collegens 19, Charlon Park 3, HANTS MERIT TABLE: Rushmoor 29,

Weekend tour, club and schools results

TRUMAN OLD BOYS MERIT TABLE: Cid Cranleighers 30, Old Whitelifflens 6; Old Hadeybridans 3, Old Dunstonless 18; Old Pehemiatra 7, Old Freeman's 3; Old Watcountians 22, Old Reedonlans 4; Old Watcountians 15, K.C.S. O.B. 38; St

DEVON MERIT TABLE: Exmouth 9, Devon and Comwall Police 19. NORTHERNE Blackburn 24, Plestwood & Steydon 18, Halifax 16; Bowdon 12, Bury 9; Broughton Park, 24, Vate of Lurie 18, Galdy 13, Manchester University 17; Darfington 15, Keignley 16; Eccles 16, Boton 4; Gosforth 57, West of Sootland 7; Harrogate 7, Kendel 12; Harrispool Rovers 40, Altreck 6; Littleborough 9, Rochale 9; Liverpool 69, Ottey 4; Alikhissbrough 16, Durtern Cky 25; Moresby

12, Kaswick & Morley 38, Old Brocisians 0.
North Ribbleadale 6, Furness 18; Oldhem 15, Bridgnorth 12; Sandal 20, Whardale 8; Selfon 15, Bridgnorth 12; Sandal 20, Whardale 8; Selfon 18, Sedgey Park 11; Selfon 6, Roundree 0; West Park 13, Whothem 12; Whitehaven 16, Kersel 16; Widnes 20, Lymm 15; Wigan 23, Wolverhampton 19; Worldington 14, Parcy Park 16; Yamkuny 20, Leeds University 14.

SCHOOLS RESULTS: Blundell's 36, Heneford Chechal School 3; Chaitsum House 63, Chaitsum 65, F.; Christ, Bracon 13, Liandovery 17; Durham 32, Felsted 8; Eastbourne 12, Cranbrook 4; Esson 7, Cranleigh 4; John Fisher 19, St Mary's Dublin 12; Kelly 8, pl., mouth Ablon Cofes 3; King's, Rochester 0, Sutton Valence 9; Rydal 13, Beimont Abboy 18; Sidnates 4, Gravessend 16; Weibeck 16, Bristol GS 3; West Park 68 46, Normembon AS 7; Woodhouse Grove 115, Oki Boys 7. Schools County Match: Under-18; Gloucesterster 18, Cornwall U16 10, Under-18; Cornwall U16 10, Under-18; Cornwall 11, Pembrodeshire 6.

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SCHOOLS RESULTS: Blundell's 36, Hereford

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Rugby is so often a question of physical commitment and attrition that a glimpse of brilliant running and handling is a sheer joy.

It was Otley's misfortune in their Northern Merit match at St Michael's on Saturday that their own shortcomings should have

provided the opposition.

Slemen, one of the indisputably great players currently adorning the game, is often an enigma when playing for his club. He has sometimes succombed to the temptation of trying to take the opposition on single-handed; on Saturday with an ocean of space in which to operate, his skills shone

on the wing. There was one remarkable

try, was 33 points. Killen (3), Siemen (2), Jeffrey (2), Askew, Hale Kearns and Aircheson

Attorson for Everett and O'Briefor Melia, LIVERPOOL: A Asisen; M Idlen, A Everst. Jeffrey, M Steven; B Wellam, G Kernst. Robelns, T Melia, G Clubb, P. Bucklon, McKeon, M Hais, I Naughion, T Morris, O'TLEY: M Gray, D Garforth, R McArdis, Waddington, G Melville, D Lester, M Reney; Wright, M Barnett, R Steet, E Whitham, Wilson, I Carroll, A Hargreaves, J Steel. Referen M J Coulson (Northumburland).

Delhi (AFP) - India capitalized on their first innings total of 464 by taking the valuable wicket of their fight back at the end of the second Test match here yesterday. At close of play, the tourists were
45 for one after Greenidge, who
scored 193 in the first Test at.
Kanpur was trapped leg-before for
33 by Kira Azad, the right arm
spinner, just before close of play.
India's 464 included 121 from

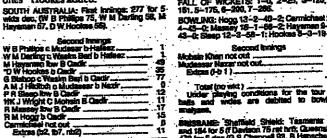
regainst the other six current Test-

Vengasarkar went on to score 159

and one six, burny, the all confider added 52 valuable runs and Shastri narrowly missed a half-century, being leg befor to Davis for 49.

Mrs Indira, the Indian Prime Minister, attended the matches the state of the confident and the matches of the state of the stat yesterday and congratualted Gavaskar for his world record





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# RACING Jump take-off nearly grounded by firm going

As another Flat racing season As another that its close, the new jumping season is being bedevilled by firm ground, just when it should be taking off. At Ascot on Saturday conversation inevitably turned to the lack of runners - there were only 11 for the three steeplechases there the going and the need for rain.

Owners, trainers and their staff; jockeys, clerks of courses, sponsors and racegoers are all in the same boat as far as this predicament is concerned because they all want the perfect

It is certainly no fun for owners to fork out £100 a week and more to have a horse in training and not see it run. Nor is it any better for trainers to have to wrap their charges up in cotton wool.

Clerks of courses can only go so far in their attempt to produce ideal ground. There was wonderful cover at Ascot and Cheltenham last week but it was undeniably firm underneath. Watering is all very well in mid summer when a good growth of grass is essential but anyone with knowledge of turf usbandry will tell you that

madness to tamper with the water table now. Sadly, it is a case of sitting

and suffering. At least most trainers are able to fall back upon all-weather gallops now-adays although they concede that there is no real substitute for a good old-fashioned gallop on the grass.

Mrs Mercy Rimell said at Ascot that the horses that she trains at Kinnersley have not exercised on grass for the past 10 days because the ground has become so firm. Mrs Rimell wants to run her Champion hurdler Gay Brief in the Fighting Fifth Hurdle at Newcastle in a fortnight, but she will not besitate pulling him out if the ground is so firm that it could jeopardise the rest of his season. "I have never run him on firm ground and I do not intend to now. There are plenty of other opportunities in the pipeline. We will just have to be patient", Mrs Rimell said.

In Western Rose Mrs Rimell has always had a horse who has never been averse to firm ground. On Saturday he made a big contribution towards his keep when winning the Crockford's Trophy. Unfortunately, with the winter just around the the race was ruined as a corner it would be utter spectacle when the only other



runner, Artifice, fell at the third Those who abide by the old saying "back the outsider of three" - and there were not a few judged by the applause – had something to crow about after Approaching had won the Bagshot Handicap Steeplechase.

Regardless of the fact that the Regardless of the fact that the At Wetherby another chapter favourite, Half Free, fell and the in the Michael Dickinson only other runner, Quarto, lost interest after a bad mistake, this result can only have been an enormous shot in the arm for Approaching's owner, Derek Wigan, who is currently in hospital recovering from

Approaching was Josh Gif-ford's second winner of the afternon as earlier the jockey Paul Nichols had also won the Embassy Premier Steeplechase (qualifier) with Homeson, who just managed to hold the promising West Tip at bay

success story was written when The Mighty Mac and Wayward Lad won their races very easily indeed. In each case their jumping was a revelation. After three quick wins in succession, The Mighty Mac has earned a short break but Wayward Lad

Draw no advantage.

£1,035: 6f) (22 runners)

tices: £750: 6f) (16)

Leicester

1.15 FLECKNEY STAKES (Div I: 2-y-o maiden fillies:

35: 6f) (22 runners)

a Arala M Stours 8-11

a Aribian R Hobrshead 8-1

b Edward M Hobrshead 8-1

c Cappadota R Hobrshead 8-1

c Cappadota R Hobrshead 8-11

c Calphadota R Hobrshead 8-11

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HARVEST PRINCESS R J Wilkers 8-11

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LIGHTS OF SLANE J Spearing 8-11

HIGHEL'S ANGEL A Rays 8-11

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RECORD BURPHERE A Put 8-11

SEDGE P Willeyma 8-11

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STAR ROUTE H Collingridge 8-11

SWINING CHRISTMAS Mrs N Kennedy 8-11

0030 TENDER MOON B Hanbury 8-11 ...... L Progott 15 m wration SHOPPER G Baiding 8-11 ...... W Higgs: 5

5 Simon, 6 Spir's Right, 8 Araty, Bobby Dazzler, 10 Dorset Venture, Green Gypsy, 12 Moddy Girl, Magic, Deliwood Inth, 14 Tropical Storm,

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1.30 LAURIESTON HURDLE (Novices: £707: 2m) (20

2 DO13 LAUGH-A-MINUTE (CD) Mrs D Culham 4-11-3

11-4 Swop Shop, 7-2 Aortic, 4 Laugh-A-Minnta, 5 Liverpool Ramble 7 On The Spot, 19 Southern Dancer, 12 Vitriolic, 14 others.

2.30 GLENAPP HURDLE (Handicap: £1,276; 2m) (13)

Weekend results

2.0 TAIRLAW CHASE (Novices: £1,194: 2m) (13)

will be back in the thick of things at Hereford on November 8 as part of his build up for a second crack at the King George VI Steeplechase which he won last year.

His stable companion Silver Buck, who won the same big Boxing Day race at Kempton in 1979 and 1980, will begin his season in earnest at Folkestone on November 14, leaving Captain John free to go to Kelso two days later.

While Dickinson was predictably stealing the limelight at Wetherby Hywel Davies was unquestionably the man of the moment at Worcester where h won four of the races on Tudo:

the year featured another triumph for Guy Harwood and Greville Starkey. The middle of the season may have been a barren time for both men but one can only admire the way they overcame those problems. This Autumn has certainly seen them reap a rich harvest. By winning the Tia Maria Autumn Handicap Bahoor took the

stable's tally for the season to 2,45 GUMLEY HANDICAP (£2,729: 1m 4f) (16)

GAWAINE J Holt 4-7-7 ..... RONCESVALLES D A Witson 3-7-7

3.15 WYSALL STAKES (3-y-o: £1,951: 1m 2f: (14)

4 Realistic, 6 Oakapple, Going Going, 7 Dame Ashfield, 8 Obadial Hazel Bush, 12 Maladhu, Scalet Town, 14 Chic Boutique, Opinebu

7-4 Road To The Top. 3 Pallavicina, 4 Quess Who, 6 Merry Tom, 8 stratus, 10 King Zulu, 14 others.

3.45 FLECKNEY STAKES (Div II: 2-y-o maidens:

9-4 Swift Return, 3 Toscana, 9-2 Bertorelle, 7 Pour Moi, Starlight Lass, 8 Colossal, 12 Empress Corina, 16 others.

Leicester selections

By Our Racing Staff 1.15 Arala. 1.45 Hallo Rosie. 2.15 Moody Girl. 2.45 Maladhu. 3.15 Road To The Top. 3.45 Swift Return.

By Our Newmarket Correspondent 1.15 Arala. 1.45 Easy Star. 2.15 Spiv's Right. 2.45 Dame Ashfield. 3.15 Guesa Who. 3.45 Swift Return.

3.0 GLENTROOL CHASE (Handicap: £1,781: 2m 4f)

2 Mountain Heys, 3 Final Argument, 4 Clayelde, 5 Rosewell Riever 18 Bobjob, 12 others.

3.30 BENNAN CHASE (Novices: £1,284: 3m 110yd)

8-11 A Kinsman, 4 French Lord, 6 Gold Camp, 10 Ballyculio, 12 Mighty Run, 14 others.

4.0 DRUMJOHN HURDLE (Novices: 2707: 2m 4f) (22)

4 Burgundy, 9-2 Macadonian, 5 Little Tempest, Pauline's Pat, 6 Black Combe, 8 Kanisa, 10 Paraelle, 12 Dorothy Bravis, 14 others.

Ayr selections

By Our Racing Staff
1.30 Aortic, 2.0 Norton Cross, 2.30 Aristo Treat, 3.0

410-1 A KINSMAN (CD) J Brockbank 7-11-5
3234 BALLYCULLO I Ferguson (kry 8-11-1
004 COUNT VRONSKY B McLean 10-11-1
4-343 GOLD CAMP (B) Ld Kingmy 7-11-1
12p2- FRENCH LORD G Richerds 5-10-12
8400 FRENCH LORD G Richerds 5-10-12
8400 RIGHTY RIN W A Stephenson 5-10-12
900- SAM WIFEKIN C Bel 5-10-12
900- SAM WIFEKIN C Bel 5-10-10
p/22 Lilles BRIG C Alexander 5-10-1

BERTORELLA G Prischard-Gordon 8-11 M Birch COLOSSAL S Hambury 8-11 P Robinson EMPRESS CORINA R Williams 8-11 R Cochrane ETTA GIRL A Hide 8-11 E Hide

£1,035: 6f) (13)

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Road; Suez; Triska and Gringo. Newmarket's final meeting of

GUMLEY HANDICAP (£2.729: Tm 41) (15)

1100 GOING GOING (D) H Candy 4-9-7 — P Mann 7 1

321 REALISTIC G Harwood 3-9-7 (4 st) — A Clark

4121 DAME ASH/FIELD (£0) G Wragg 3-9-4 (4 st) — I Ried 1

221 DAME ASH/FIELD (£0) J W Wragg 3-9-4 (4 st) — I Ried 1

4030 OPINIESO D Morley 3-8-7 — M Birch 3

3012 CHC BOUTIQUE (D) (8) B Harbury 3-8-3 — P Cook 4000 NORTH BRITAIN (D) C Britain 4-8-1 — P Robinson 0

4020 OBASIAH H Westbrooks 4-7-11 — A P O'Railly 1

4020 ASAILET TOWN (C) R Holimshead 5-7-8, W Ryan 5

3032 HAZEL BUSH M Prescott 3-7-9 — A P O'Railly 1

4000 HAVENWOOD K Stone 4-7-7 — L Charnock 1

4020 HAZEL BUSH M PROSCOT 3-7-9 — A P O'Railly 1

4021 HAZEL BUSH M PROSCOT 3-7-9 — A P O'Railly 1

4022 PLATO'S RETREAT (D) (8) W Elsey 4-7-7 N Carlisle

jig on final green

Smyth dances Irish

With an Irish jig of joy on the final green, Des Smyth celebrated his return to the winners enclosure on the FI Prat course here vesterday. on the El Prat course here yesterday. He holed a 7ft putt to claim the £13,330 first prize from the Sanyo Open after a marathon day involving 36 holes. Both the third round, abandoned on Saturday after torrential rain, and the fourth round were played with Smyth emerging victorious after eight hours the course punctuated only by a light snack at lunchtime.

For Smyth, who put together closing rounds of 70 and 71 for a winning aggregate of 297, this success provided a marvelous final to an astonishing tournament. In the second round, he holed in one at the 17th, and won a £18,000 Volvo car. So with the winning cheque safely deposited in his wallet, his carnings for the week amount to more than £30,000, Since he had not won for more than two years and his carnings before this tournament were £16,528 for the season, it was were £16,528 for the season, at we no wonder that he danced that jig.

Smyth played flawless golf the last fairway but his approach with a wedge was weak, and he left throughout most of the day yet it the ball 40ft short of the flag. From

began on he practice ground at 7 o'clock, shivering in the cold air before the sun finally rose to confirm that the rain clouds had moved away, and he stepped on the first tee with a two stroke advantage over Michael Miller.

Smyth retained his lead with a third round of 70, which included six birdies but, by that time. Eamonn Darcy had loomed up as ramonn Darry had folded up as his nearest rival, following a 67. Garry Cullen and Miller, who scored 68 and 72 respectively, were next in line four strokes behind the

those closing six holes for at the last two he twice played expuisite chips and left the ball no more than half a

roll from the hole for birdies.
Smyth had taken 37 to reach the turn, and he had fallen seven under par, overall. However be holed from 8th for a birdie at the long 11th and then, after twice saving his pars with songle putts, be managed another at the 15th (545 yards) where he made a putt of some

That out Stretch back on top of the leader board, but by that time Baiocchi was en route to 2 remarkable 64. The South African collected five birdies in an outward 32, and eagle three at the long ! Ith. and then another birdie at the 15th. At the 17th, where Smyth missed from 10ft, Baiocchi successfully holed from 18ft to go to seven under

there, he putted up the two-tier green to seven feet from the hole. Baiocchi, who returned from Johannesburg only this week made another amazing putt from 15ft which left Smyth knowing that he which left Smyth knowing that he had to hole out to avioid a three-way play off. The ball caught the left edge of the hole before disappearing and leaving Smyth's Irish eyes

Crystal Palace, with the Edinburgh

Games the following Tuesday, July

17, the last meeting before the athletes depart for the Olympic Games. The IAC Coca-Cola meet-

ing will be on September 7, also at

also adopted for the 1986 European

championships in Stuttgart. They are both 10.000 metres races, one on

are both 10.000 metres races, one on the track, and the other, a road walk, CALENDAR: May 6. Sponich international, Tokyo, Juse 28. Paswo Nurral, Turku, Friland, 28. Bislatt Games, Oslo, Grand Prz. Spelen, Göteborg, July 2. Galan, Stockholm, 4. World Games, Heislank, 6. Farmy Bankers Games, Hengelo, Holland, 6. Cachas, Luxembourg, 18. Leusanne, Switzerland, 13. Talbott Games, London, 17. Vancouver, Canada, Edinburgh, 21. Oslo Games, August 15 Chy of Varreggo, 1taly, 17. Istal, West Serfin, 29. Nikola, Nice, Budapest Grand Prz. 22. Waltidasse, Zurich, 24. No Van Damne Memorial, Brussels, 25. Wattassel, 26.

Two new women's events were

Crystal Palace.

**ATHLETICS** 

# Gold winner again

Arthur Gold has retained his post then discontinued for the compe-president of the European ution period so that no traces will be Athletics Association. At the eight found congress of the association which finished in Madrid yesterday, Gold won what was expected to be a very The dates were also agreed for next season's permit meetings where close poll with 108 votes to 90 for Artur Takac, of Yugoslavia, who becomes vice-president. Luciano Barra, of Italy, and Hans Skaset, of All last year's meetings are retained for a further year's trial period, with the first one in Tokyo in May 6. The Talbot Games will be on July 13 at

Norway, join the 15-strong EAA council. All posts are for four years. The subject closest to Mr Gold's heart in his last term of office has been the imposition of stricter doping controls. So it is appropriate that his new term should begin with the passing of two proposals referring to dope testing, which will be forwarded to the IAAF at their next congress in Los Angeles before the Olympic Games next July.

The EAA wants all athletes setting new world records subjected to particular scruning with regard to dope testing, and that is a measure which will come into effect immediately for new European records. But, more importantly, 2 move to establish random testing was also passed. Drugs are most often used in training many months in advance of big championships,

### Thompson is unstoppable

Istanbul (AP) - Despite being hit by a lorry Ian Thompson, of Britain won the first Europe-to-Asia marathon across the Bosphorus vesterday in 2hr 23min 34scess. Thompson, who led the group from the start, was hit by a military lorry halfway through the race but was first to the finishing line despite his minor leg injury.
Nick Agiropoulos, of Greece, and

Jerry Staunton, of Ireland, shared second place with a time of 2hr 25min 20secs. More than 6,000 people ran over the course that ncluded the Bosphorons Bridge. the sixtieth anniversary of the ?-repuplic and a 10-year-old bridge

that spans the two continents.

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Thompson: winning through

HOCKEY

# Kent back to form

By Sydney Friskin

Kent, county champions in the 1978-79 season, were back in the forefront vesterday following their 5-1 victory over Buckinghamshire at Canterbury. But, to clinch a place in-the sout setni-finals, they still need to beat Berkshire next week.

Buckinghamshire, however, shocked Kent yesterday when they scored in the first minute through Charles Worth. But then Berry got a hat-trick and Haigh and Richards completed Kent's scoring.

Sussex, who beat Berkshire 2-1 at Maidenhead and are the only team

Maidenhead and are the only team from the South certain of a semi-final place with two wins from two matches, also had an early shock when First scored before goals by Cox and Barnes took them to four points as both Cheshire and

victory.

The position in the other southern group is still obscure.

Middlesex came back into the reckoning after beating Surrey 1-0 at Eastcote through a penalty stroke converted by Potter late in the second half. Hampshire, who beat Oxfordshire at Southampton with goals by Faulkner and Laly, need to beat Middlesex pext week to survive. Surrey still have a chance if they beat Oxfordshire.

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and Derbyshire lead their respective groups with four points from two matches. Lancachire dropped a point yester-

In the Midlands, Worcestershire

# Victory for Pakistan

Karachi (Reuter) - A goal in each pull ahead of West Germany on goal half helped Pakistan, the world difference. At the top of the sale with a maximum of the sale with a sale wi

Inside-right Mushtaq Ahmed scored the first goal seven minutes before half-time and the right-winger Kaleemullah secured Pakis.

champions, to beat 1980 Olympic gold medal winners, India, 2-0 in the Champions' Trophy men's

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# **Old Country** leads clean sweep for **Britain**

French Racing Correspondent English-trained horses totally dominated France's final classic, the dominated France's final classic, the Prix Royal-Oak, at Longchamp, yesterday. The winner was the 26-1 outsider. Old Country, who, in the hands of Pat Eddery, defeated. Willie Carson and Band by a neck, with Another Sam a length away, third. The other English runner. Mountain Lodge finished ninth. Eddery mode Old Country with 7-2 Pendona, 4 Araia, 6 Lonely Street, 7 Smokey Lin, 8 Linpac Leaf, Record Supreme, 10 Tender Moon, 14 Lights Of Slane, Glint Of Silver,

Mountain Lodge mission minin.
Eddery rode Old Country with
great flair, while Band was
undoubtedly extremely unlucky
when making his challenge. Soon
after entering the straight, Eddery
stole two lengths by accelerating Old 1.45 SEAGRAVE HANDICAP (3-y-o selling: appren-Country quickly into the lead. The pair then crossed to the rails and bravely resisted the desperate late challenge of Band.

Dick Hern's colt had been badly hampered with just under two furlongs left to run when Karkour and Petit Montmorency swerved to his right. Carson had to snatch up Band and then make another challenge on the other side of Karkour, before making up a full six lengths in the final furlong.

2.15 JOHN O'GAUNT HANDICAP (2-y-o: £1,774: 71) Sarah Cumani, deputizing for her husband Luca, said: "Pat is lucky on our outsiders (referring to Tolomeo's Budweiser Million victory). We now hope that Old Country will receive an invitation for the Japan

Cest la guerre", were Dick Hern's post-race remarks about the incident, which almost certainly cost Band the 300,000 francs first prize. Band will not race again this season, but happily the son of Blakeney will stay in training next

Yves Saint Martin, who took fourth place in the Royal-Oak on Belitou had two winners during the afternoon, and with 102 victories this season, leads Freddie Head by three in the French jockeys championship.

PROYAL-DAK (group 1) 227,447: 1m 7i. OLD COUNTRY (By) B C, Quiet Fing - Little Miss 4-9-3 Pet Eddery 1 MAND W Carson 2 ANOTHER SAM R Cochrane 3 Pari-Muluel: 27.50, Pl 9.60, 2.30, 11.90, DF 38.90. L Currani at Newmarket nk, 11 Ballion (4th), 14 ran. 3m24.9

All Along heads for \$1m bonus

The French filly All Along, winner of the Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe, easily beat aime colts in Saturday's \$351,420 Turf Classic at Agneduct, New York. All Along won the Woodbine International in Toronto on October 16 and a victory in the Washington International at Laurei or November 12 will earn her owner

Daniel Wildenstein, a \$1 m bonus for Daniel Wildenstein, a 51m bonus for winning the three races.
All Along, again ridden by Walter Swinburn, finished strongly to cross the line nearly nine lengths clear of Thunder Puddles, who was one and a half lengths ahead of the Irishbred Erins Isle. The winner paid \$3.80 to a \$2 stake.

### Western Symphony's fluent win

The Larkspur Stakes, which derives its name from the first Epsom Derby winner saddled by Vincent O'Brien, was appropriately won by the Ballydoyle runner. Western Symphony at Leapords town on Saturday, Our Irish Racin Correspondent writes.

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Always among the first three, Western Symphony came to bead his field early in the straight, and won by a length from Sign-of-life who was subsequently placed fourth after hampering with Jackie Berry.

Western Symphony who has no Western Symphony who has no pretensions of staying beyond a mile, was Pat Edery's 41st winner of the season in Ireland.

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Landover. Maryland (Reuter)-Sweet 'n' Low, ridden by owner. D'Ambrosio, of the Untied States, set a new indoor world record for the high jump at the Washington International Horse Show on Friday when he cleared 2.32 metres (7ft 715in). It is the second year running that the record has been broken in this event. Last

year Barney Ward, riding Glandor Akai cleared 2.30 metres. Earlier Sweet 'n' Low, a nine-year-old thoroughbred, had been climinated at the first jump-off for missing one of the obstacles when the high-jump fence was only 1.98 metres. D'Ambrosio protested that the missed fence did not appear clearly on his plan of the course. The committee upheld his com-plaint but insisted the horse should complete the whole course again. Sweet 'n' Low went on to set the record, despite having been round the course once more than his rivals. The record awaits approval from the International Equestrian

Federation.

Two other horses survived the second round after clearing 3.13 metres. But Dutch Regards, partered by an American. Mike McCormick, was withdrawn. Hypo Sport, ridden by Michael Ferbers, of West Germany, knocked down the middle section of the wall in the third round before Sweet 'n' Low's winning clearance.

vinning clearance. Herve Godignon of France, riding Kyrsa d'Auzey, ended the United States' domination of the show by winning the international match event on Saturday. Godignon had a clear round over five fences in the final, Buddy Brown, riding Charles Fox, finished ahead of the Frenchman but knocked over the fourth fence for four faults. Godignon beat Katie Monahan. riding Everon, in one semi-final while Brown beat Donald Cheska. riding Horoscope, in the other

### **TENNIS**

# Davis gives Lendl a fright

Tokyo. (Reuter) - Ivan Lendl, of Czechoslovaia, the top seed beat Scott Davis of the United States, 3-6, 6-3, 6-4 in the final of a \$375,000 (£258.000) Tokyo grand prix vesterday. Lendl won \$60.000 and Davis who turned professional last June, and who beat Jimmy Connors o reach the final, received \$30,000. Davis, playing an aggresive serve-and-volley match, broke Lendl's services in the fourth and eighth games to win the first set 6-3. Lendl broke Davis' service in the fifth game in the same set. "I wasn't sure what to do when he took the first set". Lendl said after winning his fourth grand prix, including the

Canadian Open, this year. Lendl, world number two, began to put pressure on the undefeated 21 year-old American from Santa Monica, California, with his passing shots and hard-hitting ground stokes which forced Davis to make errors. He also began to mix game with net play and eventually overpowered Davis with passing

shots and powerful serves.

Lendl broke his opponent's service with a return ace in the eighth game to win the second set 6-3. In the decisive third set, Davis again dropped his service in the ninth game with a net error to give Lendl victory in the match which

lasted 97 minutes.
I think I played well. Davis said. I didn't tighten up, but he played a good game on the important points. Lendl said Davis was very fast on the net I was thinking of holding my service and breaking his service so I decided to go to the net and played the game one point at a

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Three of the world's five leading tennis players will compete for the men's singles title in the Australian Open which will be held in Melbourne from November 28 to December 11. One of them. Mats Wilder, of Sweden, will also play in the Mew South Wales championthip after gaining a wild card entry to both events. The Australian Open women's singles competition include 15 of the world's top 20.

### **CYCLING**

# Clark hurt in crash

Frankfurt (Reuter)-Danny Clark, of Australia, fractured his pelvis in a fall during the six-day cycle race here yesterday. Clark, who won the first six-day races of the season in West Berlin and Dortmund earlier this month with his British partner. Tony Doyle, crashed when a tyre burst during the third night and was taken to hospital. He was in fourth position with his partner, Gert Frank, of Denmark, when the accident happened.

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Over the last ten to 15 years, Teaching English as a Foreign Language (EFL) has become a popular field for young graduates. The opportunity to spend a comple of years living and working abroad is one of its main attractions, particularly for the uncommitted who are unsure of their long-term plans. However, though the experience of working overseas is valuable in terms of personal development, one hesitates to recommend EFL teaching as long-term career, since many of the overseas jobs are unsuitable for older teachers with families, and employment prospects for EFL teachers returning to this country are not encouraging.

From the late 1960s until the mid-1970s employment in EFL teaching grew rapidly. Private language schools mushroomed in Britain and sometimes people with no qualifications other than the ability to speak English were recruited as teachers abroad. It soon appeard that there was a need for more teachers training, so short courses were developed to provide a supply of teachers with at least a basic grounding in language teaching methodology. As the number of institutions offering teacher training grew, the demand began to flatten out, and qualified teachers displaced the unqualified. The current employment situation in Britain is particularly difficult, as teachers returning from abroad compete for a dwindling number of jobs.

Abroad, the picture is brighter, and it is certainly still possible for a young graduate to find an initial post, particularly if he or she has taken some form of basic EFL teacher

Jobs teaching English in foreign countries are still plentiful. Helen Steadman examines the pros and cons

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training. Without experience, one is most likely to be offered a job in one of the Mediterranean countries (Spain, Portugal, Italy, Greece), or possibly in France, Germany or Sweden, For experienced teachers, the fold is more wider in principle one. field is much wider, in principle, one could work in almost any non-English speaking country. Many of the posts offered are on a short-term contract basis, and those teachers who work abroad for a long period are most likely to do so on a series of contract appointments.

English teachers abroad are employed in many different types of establishment – private language schools, independent and state schools, further and higher education, or industrial and commercial firms which maintain their own language training departments. They may teach adults or children, or both, usually in groups but sometimes on a one-to-one basis. Lessons are normally carried out entirely in English, so it is not absolutely necessary to be proficient in the language of the country in which one plans to teach; a willing-ness to learn may be sufficient. Teachers do have to be prepared to adapt and fit in with the local way of life, in their free time as well as at work, since most salaries are not high enough to maintain an insulated

'expatriate" lifestyle. Teaching abroad can be a challeng-ing and rewarding experience, especially for those who make the

most of the opportunity to get to know the foreign country and its people. However, most teachers eventually want to return home, and when they do so they are likely to have difficulties in finding employment. The EFL market in this country has been in decline since the late 1970s, reaching its nadir in the winter of 1981. Although the situation has improved a little recently there are still far too many teachers chasing too few jobs. Student numbers fluctuate wildly, with a peak in the summmer months and a steep drop in the winter, so that while it is easy to find a temporary summer job, there are relatively few posts offered on a year-

As a response to this, many the prospects are poor, and it may be necessary to retrain in a completely

An information sheet in EFL teaching can be obtained by sending an SAE to Career Horizons, The Times, Room 137, 200 Grays Inn Road, London WCIX 8CZ.

# Newsround: accountants in demand

Britain's accountants are once again in strong demand after two years of recession. In particular, young qualified accountants are in peak demand, and many attain a salary level soon after qualification which some will find difficult to improve upon substantially later in their careers.

These are the main findings of the Autumn 1983 Survey of Salaries in Accountancy and Banking published last month by Accountancy Person-nel. Potential entrants to the pro-fession will be pleased to discover that, according to its findings, graduate trainees are being recruited by firms of chartered accountants in larger numbers than originally predicted, and that they now earn up to £5,.750 per annum in London, and about £1,000 less elsewhere. The survey went on to state, however, that due to the continued popularity of the profession, there remain more people wishing to enter than there are vacancies available.

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returning teachers seek to improve their qualifications by taking further training; this is only a partial solution. as even for the better qualifed, there are only a certain number of jobs to go round. Some teachers go abroad again, while others move into allied fields such as EFL publishing, or teaching English as a second language to immigrants. For a few, there are careers to be made in supervisory or administrative posts, or EFL teacher training. ESP (English for Specific Purposes) also offers some opportunities to teach the language as it is used in a specialized context, such as medicine or engineering. However, for the majority of teachers returning to this country after working abroad,

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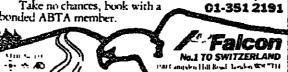
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new series featuring the long-wed (on screen) couple. Tonight Terry's new-found enthusiasm for photography eads him to be com to take a photograph of his

7.20 The Dokes of Hezzard A trunk-load of emeralds signals Boss Hogg's intervention when the two boys try to do Enos a favour.

8.18 Panersons tresected by Frad Emery and Richard Lindley. 9.00 News with John Humphrys. 9.25 Film: W.W. and the Dixie Dencekings (1975) starring Burt Reynolds. Comedy about a patty third who, every time he robs a patrol station, gives the attendant part of the loot. When the police close in on him he sets himself up as a

country music promoter - but not for long, Directed by John 10.55 Film 83 presented by Berry Norman. The programme includes reports on The Star Chamber, a tivifier about a group of judges who take the law into their own hands; Spetters, a Dutch film; and a location report from Kenny

Everett's first feature film, Bloodbath at the House of

11.23 Neura headlines 11.25 Visions of Change" Part three of the series examining newsreels of the 1950s. 11.50 Weether.

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TV-am

-6.25 Good Morning Britain sented by Nick Owen and John Stapleton. News from Gavin Scott at 8.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00 and 9.23; sport at 5.35 and 7.35; exercis 6.45 and 9.18: Diana Dors's diet at 6.50; John Stapleton with topical guest et 7.05; Popeys cartoon at 7.20; the Monday Moen at 7.50; Judi Dench's star romance at 8.05; the day's television previewed at 8.35 and the TV-am doctor et 9.20

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9.25 Themes news headfines 9.30
For Schools: The story of a young boy with a model boat Learning to read with Basil Brush 9.59 How coat is mine 18-11 Basic maths 10.31 Part one of a two-part documentary about the background to the novel To Kill a Mockingbird 11.00 Television advertising 11.22 Forces and their effects
11.41 The use of fire

throughout history 12.60 Alphabet Zoo. Nerys Hughes and Raiph McTell with Gerbaidi the Gorita 12.10 Let's Pretend to the story of the Witch and Lazy Jack 12.30 I'm Young but Special. The I'm Young but Special. The first of a new series, present by Derek Cooper, about the

handicapped 1.00 News with Leonard Parkin 1.20 Thesies neves from Robin Houston 1.30 Farmhouse Kitches. With presenter Grace Mulligan is Jan Horsley who

healthy eating 2.00 Film: Murcheson's Creek (1977) starring Mark Edwards.
A high flying young medical specialist takes over his late father's practice in an isolated by Terry Bourks 3.30

4.00 Alphabet Zoo. A repeat of the programme shown at noon
4.15 Dangemouse sayes the
world again (r) 4.20 Plastic
Men 4.45 Dramarama: A Young Person's Guide to Getting Their Ball Back, by Nigel Baldwin 5.15 Emmerdel Farm. Jackie Merrick tangles yet again with the boys in blue

5.45 News 6.00 Thames news 8.25 Helpl Community action news trom Viv Taylor Gee 6.35 Crossroads, John Latchford is handed a serious problem by David Huntar

7.08 The Real World, presented by Sue Jay and Michael Rodd 7.36 Coronation Street, Wedding bells peal for Eddle and Marior 8.00 Never the Twain. Cornedy series about a couple of arritus dealers whose only off-spring have married one another. The fathers' happy

anticipation of grandizine rhood is shattered when the young marrieds declare that they will not be baving any children 8.30 World in Action: A Serious Medical Emergency. An exemination of the growing

use of deputising services by GPs in Britain, a trend that is under review by Kenneth (see Choice) 9.00 Onliney. The investigative pathologist comes under the spell of a beeutiful amnesia

10.00 News 19.30 Film: Stand Up and Be Counted (1971) starring Jacqueline Bisset as a journalist who returns home to write the definitive story of women's liberation only to discover that her mother and

the movement. Directed by Jackie Cooper 12.20 Night Thoughts on Responsibility from Dr Rhodes Boyson

sister are heavily involved in



Channel 4.8.00cm

BBC 2

degree course. 9.38 The work of a post office cadet. 19.00

You and Me. 10.15 Songs from Africa, Trinidad and Tobago

Stang by criscrent, 10.36 Shame, a play about the 1834 Workhouse Act. 11.00 The

conquest of cholera. 11.23 Talkabout. 11.42 Censorship

Development issues in India.

Multicultural Education (ends at 1.30), 4.38 Politics in Action

A study of this year's general election in the Edinburgh East constituency. 2.01 Words and Pictures. 2.18 What is energy?.

12.40 On the rocks. 1.05

2.40 Music: keyboards. Closedown at 3.00.

5.35 News summary with subtil

5.40 Refereeing. Lesson three in

6.05 Grange Hill. Episode five of the comprehensive school

6.30 The Gaffer, by Ted Walker. The first of five narrative

is Leo McKern.

7.00 Riverside. A special Hallowe'en edition from the

Bat Cave Club. Music is

led The Specimen

7.35 The Best of Delta. Vegetarian

provided by a bizarre group

cooking is the theme today and there are recipes for quick

vegetable burgers; and mixed

Rowan and Martin's Laugh-k

American comercy series hugely successful during the 1960s. The guests toxight are Jack Lemon, Zsa Zsa Gabor, Hugh Heffiner and Sonny Tufts

featuring comedians from both the United States and the

United Kingdom; Appearing

Warren Mitchell and from the

the way foreign languages are taught in schools. It has been

suggested that the optimum time for a child to learn a

toreign language is at five years of age. From studying children at that age is it

possible to improve the traditional language teaching

10.15 Frank Delatev discusses

language with Betty

Kirkpatrick, echor of Chambers 20th Century

Dictionary; grammarian Randolph Kirk; and

of English at Cambridge

10.50 Newshight Ends at 11.40.

Christopher Ricks, professor

tonight are Ronnie Barker

United States, Victoria

9.25 Horizon: A Child's Guide to

The Bob Monkhonee Show

The second in the series

American comedy series

the four part series designed to make the rules of football

association more lucid. The narrator is John Motson.

dramas. Archie is determined

to teach his son a lesson but as he stands greased-up and ready to swim the Channel he

begins to wonder who is being

taught a lesson. The narrator

9.10 Davitas on Two Choosing a

sung by children. 10.38

the limits of freedom

 The growing use by Britain's general practitioners of deputizing services, a trend that is at present under review by Health Minister, Kenneth Clark, is the subject of World in Action's A SERIOUS MEDICAL EMERGENCY (ITV 8.30pm). Flagrant flouring of DHSS guidelines forbidding excessive use of the services for out of hours calls is admitted by more than half the doctors surveyed for the programme. The programme examines four cases in which a lack of cummunication between GPs and the deputizing services proved fatal. World in Action talks to the relatives of those who died about the standard of medical care the deputizing services – services World in Action disturbingly

CHANNEL 4

2.45 Film: Edison, the Man\* (1940)

the American inventor

Brown.

starring Spencer Tracy. A straightforward biography of

Thomas Alva Edison. With Charles Coburn as General

Powell, the magnate who has faith in the pioneering work of Edison. Directed by Clarence

Countdown. Another edition of

the fast-moving anagrams and mental arithmetic competition.

5.15 The Dick Van Dyke Show."

Vintage American comedy about the Petris family, the

appears to be under the

he hears a bell ring. A starring Mary Tyler Moore.

5.45 Here's Lucy. The crazy Lucy and her children invade Carol Burnett's talevision show in

order to persuade her to

6.15 Counting On, Fred Harris with

those who cannot face

the key to timetables.

style (see Choice).

7.50 Comment. On his hobby horse

8.00 Top C's and Tiaras II starring

tonight is Dr Stephen Shaw,

director, Prison Reform Trust.

Julia Migenes Johnson in a

and entertainment from the

world of operetta and light

ncludes works by Richard

Rodgers, Stephen Sondheim, Ivor Novello, Noel Coward and

music. The programm

George Gerstwin. Also

Remedios.

appearing are Jean Bailey, Marilyn Hill-Smith, Peter Morrison and Ramon

in a new series of animated

films enacting recorded

9.05 The Arabs. The fourth in the

Conversation Pieces. The first

hear the patter of door-to-door

ten-part series examining the history of the Arab races has

Adonis, one of the leading

Word - the language of the

inmate for the village, this time with a name - Nadia. She also

tries to escape but is captured.

tortured and assigned to The Prisoner as a maid. Starring Patrick McGoohan, Lao

McKern and Nadia Gray.

11.05 The Eleventh Hour. Film: The Battle of Chile, part two: The

Coup d'Etat (1957). An

examination of the political

which took place in Septi

1973. Directed by Patricio

10.05 The Prisoner, Episode seven

sees the arrival of a nev

living Arab poets, tracing the

7.00 Channel Four News

6.45 Hey Good Looking! The first

appear in the high school play.

another in his helpful series for

calculations. His subject this

evening is the 24-hour clock,

of five consecutive nightly programmes presented by Peter York on the subject of

husband of which, this week

nfluence of drink every time

CHOICE s in benotinom ed at briuot haphazard and inadequate way.

Peter York, discoverer of the Stoane Ranger, tonight begins a five-nightly series devoted to what he describes as Group Style. HEY GOOD LOOKING! (Channel 4 6.45pm) is a highly personal and, in his own deprecating words "really superficial" investigation "digging as shallow as possible" into Why all classes are

obsessed by style. York's dry sense of humour is seen at its illustrates how people dress to put over a message - people as disparate as Boy George and Mrs Thatcher. Coinciding with

the series is the publication of York's The Sloane Ranger Diary. which, if you appreciate I tongue-in-cheek humour, is a splendid follow-up to his book that brought the Hooray Henrys and the Darling Dianas to the notice of the general public.

 On the night traditionally belonging to witches and hobgobins, Peter Nicholls, in KALEIDOSCOPE (Radio 4 9.15pm) discusses horror as portrayed in films and fiction with writers of the genre. All are moralistic about their work which they find is an outlet for their own tensions, triggered, it would seem, from an unhappy childhood. How unhappy may be gauged from extracts read by the sepulchral-voiced Valentine

7.00 News. 7.05 The Archers. 7.30 Talk of the Devil. An anthology or the Levit. An anthology for Hallowe'en. Presented by Srian Sibley.

7.40 She wears a ribbon in her hair. A portrait of Andrea Adams by Violet Strading, who brought love and hope to the many children in her care.

8.00 The Monday Play "Thursday's Child' by Margaret Simpson. A story about a case of child-battering in which the parents refuse to admit responsibility and social workers eventually decide to put the child up for adoption. Then, the mother

from Peter Cushing, Vincent Price, Stephen King, Gene Wolf, Jack Clayton and others. The reader is Valentine Dyall, 9.59

Weather.

10.00 The World Tonight: News.

10.00 Science Now. Recent
discoveries and developments.

11.00 A Book at Bedime: "Besi" by
Wildle Colins (6). Read by
Education Science

Edward De Souza.

11.15 The Financial World Tonight. 11.30 Today in Parliament. 12.00 News. 12.15 Shipping Forecast.

England VHF as above except 6.25-6.30 Weather; Travel. 10.45-12.00 For Schools 10.45 Par Bapes: French Graded Objectives II. 11.0 Music Makers. 11.20 Let's Move. 11.40 Word Geme. 11.50 Poetry Corner. 1.55 pm Listening Corner. 2.00-3.00 For Schools: 2.00 Playtime. 2.15 Introducing Science. 2.35 Noticeboard. 2.40 Listening to Music. 5.50-5.55 PM (confinued). 11.00-11.30 Study on 4 Lending a Hand. 12.30-1.10 am Schools right-time broadcasting:

Schools night-time broadcasting: General Studies, Radio: Making Sense of British Industry (182).

Radio 3

Drawn and Lohengrin's Rebuke (Barenboim, piano). Janacek (Mladi for wind sexter).

6.55 Weather. 7.00 News. 7.05 Morning Concert: part one. Neleisen (Helios overture), Wagner, trasc Liszt (Eles's

England VHF as above except: 6.25-6.30 Westher: Travel, 10.45-12.50 For

adoption. Then, the mothe decides to fight to get her daughter back. With Ross Bakert. 10.00 News, Money Box. 10.30 Morning Story: "Dinjo" by Lawrence Adems. Read by Sean daughter back. With Rosellnd Shanks and Maggie McCerthy. Kaleldoscope: Hallowe en edition of the erts magazine, full of flesh-creeping items. With Peter Nicholls. Contributions from Botho Cushing Magazine.

News. 1.00 The World et One: News. 1.40 The Archers. 1.55 Shipping

includes an item about present for children to make, recorded on the Wi's exhibition bus; your letters: and episode one of a 13-

4.30 Labels. Patrice Hannon on

4.30 Labes. Parnoe Hannon on policital classifications.
4.40 Story Time: "A Passage to India" by E. M. Forster (8). Read by Sam Dastor.
5.00 PM: News Magazine. 5.50 Shipping Forecast. 5.55 Westher; Programme News.
6.00 The Six O'clock News; Financial

ns, Derek Nimmo, Petr

BBC 1 WALES: 12.57pm-1.60 News of Wales Headines, 3.53-3.55 News of Wales Headines, 5.53 Wales Today, 6.59-7.20 The Big C: The Good News about Cancer, 11.50 News and weather, SCOTLAND: 12.55pm-1.00

Radio 4

6.00 News Briefing. 6.10 Farming Week, 6.25 Shipping Forecast. Today, including 6.20, 7.30, 8.30 News Summary, 6.45 Prayer for the Day, 6.55, 7.55 Weather. 7.00, 8.00. Today's News. 7.25, 8.25 Sport. 7.45 Thought for the

2.25 The Week on 4 with Simon

new production of the famous story of a Scot "on the make" and his quietly influential wife Maggie. Starring David Hayma and (as Maggie) Phylis Logan

Jones, Brian Johnston and, as chairman, Nicholas Parsons (n.

reacts reverse. 3.55 Scale Around State S. 50-7.20 Channel One. 11.50 News and weather. ENGLAND: 5.53pg Regional news magazines. 11.55 Closedown.

GRANADA As London except:
1.20ps Granade
Reports. 1.30 Film: Bedford Incident
(Richerd Widmark), 3.20 Animel
Architecture. 3.30-4.00 Young Doctors.
5.15-5.45 Blockbusters. 6.90 Sorts and
Daugiters. 6.30-7.00 Granada Reports.
10.30 Benson. 11.00 Week Ahead. 11.30
Levkes Man. 12.30asn Closedown.

Vance. 8.43 John Endon in the BBC Sound Archives. 8.57 Weather; Travel. 9.00 News. 9.05 Start the Week with Richard

Forecast. 2.00 Women's Hour. Today's edition

pert serialization of 1 Start
Counting, by Audrey Erskine
Lindop, read by Carole Hayman.
Attempon Theetre: What Every
Woman Knows, by J. M. Barrie.
A second chance to hear this

6.30 Just a Migute. With Kenneth

wearrer. SCOTLAND: 12.55pet-1.00
The Scottish News. 5.53 Scottant: Shr
Minutes. 11.25-11.55 Cearcell. 11.55
News and weather. NORTHERN
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Interval. 3.15 Pinn: Harvey Girls (Judy
Garland). 4.55 Pictiwrs Bach. 5.06 Dwylo
I Pyny. 5.30 Farmy Waterman's Piano
Progress. 6.00 Avengers, 6.55 Geir Yn
El Bryd. 7.00 Newyddion Saith. 7.30 Sêr.
8.00 Y Byd Ar Bedwar. 8.30 Torri Gwynt
Gyda Dewi Pws. 9.00 American Football.
10.06 Fox. 10.55 Hey Good Looking.
11.05 Karl Marx. 12.00art Irish Angle.
12.25 Gair Yn El Bryd, Closedown.

TVS As London except 1.20pm News. 1.30 Afternoon Club. 1.35 Vintege Quiz. 2.10 Kind of Loving. 3.10 Newsbreak. 3.20 Take the Unit Section 1.35 Vintege Cutz. 2-10 Nate the High Road. 3.50-4.00 Blunt Encounters. 5.15-5.45 Blockbusters. 6.00-7.00 Coast to Coast 10.30 Race is On. 11.10 Hill Street Blues. 12.10am House Calls. 12.35

REGIONAL TELEVISION VARIATIONS

ANGLIA As London except:
1.20pm-1.30 News. 2.003.30 Film: Treasure of San Teress. 5.00
About Anglia. 6.20-7.00 Get Up and Go.
10.30 Anglia Reports. 11.00
International Showjumping. 12.00 Spy's
Wife. 12.30em Martin Luther: 500 Years,
Closedown. HTV As London except 1.20pm-1.30 News. 2.00 We'll Meet Again. 3.00 Whose Baby? 3.30-4.00 Young Doctors. 5.15-5.45 Blockbusters. 6.00-

7.00 News. 10.30 Field Marshall Lord Harding. 11.00 Hill Street Blues. 12.0 Two of Us. 12.30am Closedown. HTV WALES As HTV except: 4.20pm-4.45

Fanglace. 6.00-7.00 Wales at Six. 10.30-11.00 .Bly Cooper.

CHANNEL As London except: 1.20pm-1.30 News. 2.00-3.30 Film: Treesure of San Teresa 8.00 Channel report, 8.30-7.00 in Search of Wild Asperagus, 9.0-10.00 Sweensy, 10.35 Carloon, 10.40 Film; Sensitive, Passionata Man. 12.25 Closedown.

YORKSHIRE As London except: 1.20pm-1.30 News. 2.00 Firm: Treasure of San Teresa. 3.30-4.00 Sons and Daughters. 5.15-5.45 Blockbusters. 6.00 Celender. 6.35-7.00 At East. 10.30 Celender Commentary, 11.00 Hill Street Blues, 12.00 Closedown.

8.00 Nova.
8.05 Morning Concert: part two.
Rameau (Hippolyte et Aricle:
orchestral music), Jameauin (Le
chat des cyssaub) and Michael
Haydn (Incidental music to
Voitaire's Zeide). On records.

9.00 Name. 9.05 This Week's Composer: Ravel. Robert Casedesus plays Valess nobles at sentimentales; Felicity Pairmer is the appraino in the Trois Poemès de Maltermé, en the performers in the Olano Trio en A minor are Augustin Dumay, Frédéric Lodeon and Jean-

Present Louison and Jean-Philippe Collect.! 10.68 Sesthoven: the Medici String Cuartet play the String Quartet in Emplor, Do 59, No 2.1 10.48 Schubert: the Bournemouth Striforlette play the Symphony No 2.

11.10 Field and Clementi: recital by Veronice McSwiney. She pla Field's Sonala No 1 in E flet; Rondeau favouri in A. and Noctume No 18 in E (La midi).

Also Clementi's Sonate in C, Op 34, No 1.1 French Music: BBC Scottish O, with Yvorne Kanny (soprano) in periormances of Faure's suite Peliées et Mélleande, Berlioz's Les nuits d'été, and Ravet's suite Ma mère l'Oys.†

1.00 News. 1.05 BBC Lunchtime Concert: from St 1.05 BBC Lunchtime Concert: from St John's, Smith Square. The Amedeus Trio play Beethowen's String Trio in E flat, Op 3, and Mozart's Duo in 6 for violin and viols (with Norbert Brainh, violin, and Peter Schidiof, viola).†

2.05 Music Weeldy: a second chance to hear last Sunday morning's pogramme in which Stephen Dodgson talks about the Long Arm of Tristen; Paul Griffithe's. The String Quartet is reviewed; The String Quartet is reviewed; and Michael Kennedy discusses Vaughen Williams's Symphonies

Vaughen William No S and 4 (r).† No S and 4 (7).\*

New records. Gossec (Christmas subs), Bach (Preludee and Fugues in C sharp melor and minor and E flat major and minor — The Well Tempered. Clavier, Book 1, with Ton Loopman, harpsichord, Mozart (Elene kleine Nachtmusik — I Musici), Chopin Pisno Conc No 2 (with No Pogoreich as soloist), and Zemlinsky, arrang Erwin Stein: Die Madchen mit den verbundenen Augen, with verbundenen Augen, with Wendela Bronsgeest, soprano). Also Janacek's Sinfonietta.†

4.55 News. 5.00 Mainly for Pleasure: Another of S.00 Marry for Pleasure: Anomer or Natale Wheen's selections. Works by Debuasy and Gesualdo, and Bach's Chromatic Fartesia and Fugue, performed by Reiph Kirtpstrick.†
6.30 Music for Organ: Flor Peeters at the organ of the Cathedal of St. Rombout, Malines plays his Ricercare, Op 134, and Tournentire's Domenica infre

Tournemire's Domenica infre Octavam Ascensionis (L'Orgue mystique).f 7.00 20th Century Gulter Music: First

broadcast performance of Michael Bide Watkins's The Spirit of the Earth. Also, Watton's Five Bagatelles. Played by Carlos Bonell. A Concert from Turku and Uppsala: Part one. From Turku Cathedral in Finland. The Finnish Radio Chember Choir, with Kani Jussila (organ) in Scheidt's Cantio Sacra; Songs from the

Piae Cantiones election and

Hand Eldund's Invocatio pro organo.1

TYNE TEES As London except: 1,20pm-1,30 News and Lookeround. 2,00 Film: That Woman Opposite (Petule Clark). 3,30-4,00 Benson. 5,15-5,46 Blockbusters. 6,00 News. 6,02 Sele of the Century.

8.30-7.00 Northern Life, 9.00-10.06 Magnum, 10.32 Briefing, 11.15 Hill Street Blues, 12.15am God in Sesson,

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9.00-10.00 Sweeney, 10.30 Film:
Culpepper Cattle Co. 12.10em News,
Closedown.

ULSTER As London except: 9.25am-9.30 Day Ahead. 1,20pm-1.30 Lunchtime, 2,00 Film:

TSW As London except: 1.20pm-1.30
News. 2.00-3.30 Film:
Treasures of San Teress' (Marius
Goring). 6.00 Today South West. 6.30
Televiews. 6.40-7.00 Money Marters.
9.00-10.00 Sweensy. 10.35 Postscript.
19:40 Film: Sensitive, Passionate Man
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# Royal protester joins Dutch rally for peace

Saturday when more than half a princess Irene declined to seek million protesters gathered in parliamentary approval for her The Hague to demonstrate marriage in 1964 to Prince against the deployment of cruise Carlos Hugo of Bourbonand Pershing 2 missiles in Parma, Western Europe.

more significant than similar denied, that Queen Beatrix told demonstrations in other Euro- the Rev Jesse Jackson, the black pean capitals because the American leader, that she Netherlands is the only Nato country where cruise and. Pershing 2 missiles are sched- Pershing 2 missiles, observers uled to be deployed that has not yet decided to sanction the deployment. That decision will not be taken before next Spring.

One of the highlights of the peaceful protest was the surprise appearance and speech by Princess Irene, the younger sister of Queen Beatrix, and formerly second-in-line to the

She told the crowd: "Through the weapons we now have made, we are standing on the edge of the abyss and we cannot make any more mistakes because that would mean that the whole world, our earth, would be destroyed."

She added: "Our concern is

great and that is what we are expressing today."

It was the first time that a member of the Dutch royal family had publicly expressed an opinion on the nuclear arms race. It was noted that the

The powerful Dutch peace "HRH Princess Irene von Lippe movement broke all records on Biesterfeld", her father's name.

Coming in the wake of The occasion was perhaps allegations, which have been opposed the deployment on Dutch soil of cruise and have been quick to point out that the royal family is more popular than ever in left-wing circles.

Mr Ruud Lubbers, the Christian Democrat Prime Minister, said in a television interview that most Dutch people were not unconditionally opposed to the siting of the

Although his Liberal coalition partners are in favour of deployment, Mr Lubbers will have to reckon with the fact that 41 per cent of his own voters are unconditionally opposed to deployment, as was revealed by an opinion poll on the eve of the demonstration.

● COPENHAGEN: A record 150,000 Danes staged mass anti-missile rallies and protest marches over the weekend in Copenhage and leading provinrace. It was noted that the biggest demonstrations since princess was described as the Second World War.

### **More Greenham arrests** after second attack Mr Wedgwood Benn claimed

Women protesters at Greenham Common, yesterday staged another attack, similar to knew "that Reagan will not consult Mrs Thatcher before the Saturday's, on the Berksire missile base, and again cut through part of the wire mesh perimeter fence.

But it is understood far fewer women took part in the attack compared with more than 1,000 on Saturday.

Eight women were arrested during yesterday's incident and were expected to be charged with offences in connexion with

cruise missiles are used". Speaking on TV-am, Mr Benn said there was now a genuine fear that Britain could be destroyed "as a by-product of an adventurous American policy which we oppose".

yesterday that Britain now

The stationing of cruise missiles would make Britain "a prime target" even if opposed US policy, he said.



### Troops mop up as island faces uncertain future tically, thinks elections can be

held in about three mouths. He

regards the invasion, made at the invitation of the Organiza-tion of Eastern Caribbean

States, as a success. He said he

wished it had started a day

earlier, because it gave the

Cabans more time of presare

Guyana were against the Americans going in and the

Grenada affair has exacerbated

the strained relationship between Trinadad and Barba-

dos, other Caribbean countries

"History will agree with the verdict of public opinion in the eastern Carribean," Mr Adams

said There was almost unani-

mous support at the political and popular level for the intervention.

Certainly, his views coincide

with those ordinary people I have talked to in Barbados and

Grenada. Articles in the San-

day newspapers supported the

intervention as necessary and

were strongly in favour.

Although Trinidad

elections could be held. They are also considering the makenp of any Caribbean peacekeeping force which might move in as the Ameri-

Although the latter have said they would like to leave as soon as possible, that depends on the establishment of stable government and how long the Cuban groups, which have taken to the hills, continue to resist.

Fighting is still going on, and troops and aircraft are attacking Cuban positions. The Americans are steadily strengthening their forces, building up their supply base and fortifications at the Cubanbuilt airstrip at Point Salines. Mr Tom Adams, the Prime

Minister of Barbados, one of the champions of intervention in Grenada, went to the island to meet Sir Paul Scoon and Brigadier Rudyard Lewis, the commander of the Caribbean contingent on the island. Mr Adams, perhaps optimis-

# Reagan's tough line goes down well at home

The poll findings will have important implications, both for the President's decision whether or not to seek reelection and for the Administration's conduct of foreign

Mr Reagan, who appeared stunned and worn out in the wake of the Beirut bombings, seemed to have his confidence completely restored by the time he left for Camp David at the

US officials speculated that the success of the Grenada operation will persuade the President to take a tougher line on foreign policy issues in the future, particularly in areas where the United States is perceived to be confronting a Soviet and Cuban threat, such as Central America.

Such a possibility was hinted at by Mr William Casey, the director of the CIA, who gave a warning in a speech at West-

minster College in Fulton, Missouri, that the United States had failed to confront the challenge of the Soviet Union in developing countries and must now adopt a "realistic counter strategy".

The prospect that the President may again be tempted to use force to achieve forcign policy objectives is clearly worrying many Democrats and some liberal Republicans as well, particularly as the Presi-dent has largely ignored the views of Congress on Grenada and Lebanon during the past

In an attempt to assess exactly what happened in Grenada and whether it was necessary to use military force, the Senate is planning to send congressional fact-finding mission to the island. It was proposed by Senator Robert Byrd, the Senate minority leader, and has the support of Senator Howard Baker, the majority leader. A formal resolution is to be tabled today.

Letter from Luther's city

# Messages for all from a turbulent cleric

He stands there in his frier's habit, his hand on the Bible, looking up to Heaven as he defends himself before Emperor and accusers. "Here I stand, I cannot do otherwise," rans the famous text beneath the copper-green status: words that scholars now maintain Martin Luther probably never

His statue, flanked by that of Frederick the Wise, the princely Sexon protector and other figures from the turbulent days of the momentus Diet of 1521, dominates the centre of Worms, a city where the father of the Reform spent only 19 days in all.

The great twelfth-century Romanesque cathedral where the electors of the Holy Roman Empire worshipped remains Catholic, but Worms every other respect is Lather's city.

therefore. Appropriately, therefore, the Evangelical Church in West Germany, chose Worms as its focus for the celebrations commemorating the 500th anniversary of his birth. Clergy statesmen, scholars, Germans from East and West, were among the 700 dignitar-ies yesterday gathered in symbolic recognition of the extraordinary influence this troubled, fiery Saxon had on the history, language and religion of Germany and beyond.

Chancellor Helmut Kohl and President Karl Caratens, Dr Robert Runcie, the Arch-hishop of Canterbury, Dr Philip Potter, General Sec-retary of the World Council of Churches and representatives of the Roman Catholic, Orthodox and Jewish comm in Germany attended morning

As they left the main Lutheran church they walked past today's manifestation of the political earthquake un-leashed by Lather's preachings: the anti-nuclear bar the purple scarves of the Protestant peace movement, texts on peace and Christiani-ty from the prolific writings and sermons of the sixteenthcentury friar.

for today? Why has this

anniversary, which falls on November 16, found such an echo in both Germanica? For President Carstens, the inutality, fanaticient and cruelty of manified, pollution and the arms race, the break-up of age-old costours and morality which gave rise to the angur be detected today in his countryen, all sought answers in

Luther's faith, humanity and trust in the truth. Lather offered no political answers. He insisted politiciens used their own reason to solve matters of state. But equally he insisted politicians could not, as in the had old days, think they could control the spiritual world.

For the East German bishops Lather's message was starker and more direct. They could not stay silent on today's political issues. "We do not believe that more missiles in Europe can bring peace nearer or bein towards au arms ment in Genera. We think that more missiles will give birth to yet more missiles, nothing more", Dr Johannes Hempel, chairman of the Latheran bishops' confe in East Germany, said.

Deployment would set people in both German states further apart and cause spiritual and material hardship. Like Lather, he had to speak out in an bear of particular denser - no words of comfort for Dr Kohl.

Even the palace where Lather defended his 95 Thesis was destroyed, as a plaque tartly remarks, by the French in 1689 and in 1794. The famous cathedral and other aid buildings were smashed in the Second World War, although most have been restored. Now Worms is majorly famous for its Lieb-famous for its Lieb-famous for

Luther's spirit, however. hovers over the revival of hovers over the revival of religion, especially among the young, that so marks today's younger generation in Germany. His condemnation of pomp and hypocrisy were acknowledged yesterday by the senior Roman Catholic Archbishop in Germany who said his charch had much to

Michael Binyon

# THE TIMES INFORMATION SERVICE

### Today's events

Royal engagements The Queen and the Duke of Edinburgh give a Reception for the 21st Anniversary of Community Service Volunteers at Buckingham Palace, 6.

Princess Anne, Patron of the National Union of Townswomen's Guilds, attends the "Hallowe'en Fayre" of the North Middlesex Federation, in aid of the Save the Children Fund, at Winston Chur-chill Hall, Ruislip, 12.30.

Historic Monuments (England) at Fishmongers' Hall, London, 6.30. The Duke of Kent, as Honorary President, attends the Presidential Princess Anne attends the White Ensign Association's Dinner on the on of their 25th Anniversary at the Guildhall, London, 7.30. Dinner of the Royal Geographical Society at the Savoy Hotel, London, Princess Margaret, as Deputy Colonel in Chief, the Royal Anglian WC2, 7.30.
Princess Alexandra attends at a

Regiment, attends a Reception to mark the publication of the Book Hallowe'en Ball, held in aid of the Royal Star and Garter Home for Decision in Normandy, by Carol D'Este, at the Royal Anglian Disabled Sailors, Soldiers and Airmen, of which Her Royal The Duke of Gloucester attends a

Reception to mark 75th Anniver-

5 Thumbs up (we hear) is the

Do without edges in colour (7)

8 Monkey Island doctor india

13 The House furious about out

19 Airborne car - one brought the Duke of Plaza-Toro (7).

The Solution

of Saturday's

Prize Puzzle No. 16,273

will appear

next Saturday

22 Cockney's cry of chestnuts

25 Confused type of bird (3).

20 Birdie sort of hole? (6).

provider of room service (11).

6 Olive for instance appears

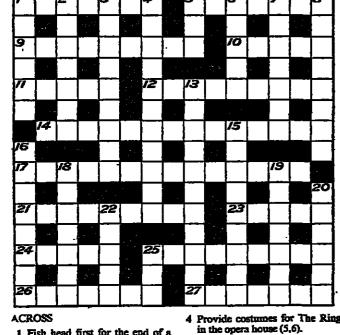
decline, you say? (5).

saving (3).

posed (8)..

the road (9).

# The Times Crossword Puzzle No 16,274



- 1 Fish head first for the end of a marine pilgrimage (4,3).

  5 Many dislike Conservative
- getting in? Not a lot (7). Coming up again the matter in Rome appears pressing (9). 10 Marriage in the old poor-house
- 11 Ask if father's got the boat inside
- 12 Victorious result with gold for 15 Two tins are knocked about the one following (9). 16 Mangy flower? (8).
- 14 Belonging to a church no bird gets into trouble in Kent resort 18 Capital set-up in firm covering (14).
- 17 To catch connexion between banks is some game! (8,6).
- 21 Conversely the little beast can always be a pirate (9).
- 23 In Endless Night French painting by Sickert (5). 24 River and take bird (5).
- 25 Would this other bird's distress appal Hero? (9).
- 26 Country house Washington (7). 27 How many go off the rails? (7).

- 1 Singer dear to Italians goes round America (6).
- 2 One, to wit, hiding in tree that's fishy! (7). 3 Sounds like a bloomer the miller

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Highness is President, at the Inter-Continental Hotel, Hyde Park Corner, London, 8.20.

Works by Valerie Hunter at the Traverse Theatre Club, Cafe Gallery, 112 West Bow, Edinburgh; Tues to Sat 10 to 10, Sun 12 to 10 (ends Nov 27).

(ends Nov 27).

Prestwick Arts Guild annual invitation exhibition at the Mac-Laurin Art Gallery, Rozelle Park, Alloway, Ayr; Mon to Sat 11 to 5, Sun 2 to 5 (ends Nov 28).

Watercolours by Shirley Spottiswoode, at the Torrance Gallery, 29B Dundas Street, Edinburgh, Mon to Fri 11 to 6, Sat 10.30 to 1 (ends Nov 12).

Exhibition by the Pharmaceutical Society at the Central Library, Main Foyer, Small Window, Dundee, Mon to Fri 9.30 to 7, Sat 9.30 to 5

Last chance to see

Acton Scott Working Farm Museum, demonstrating life on a Shropshire upland farm before the introduction of the petrol engine; (a sturdy shoes or wellingtons are recommended); Wenlock Lodge, Acton Scott, nr Church Stretton, Shropshire; Mon to Sat 10 to 5 (ends

today).
Lochgelly Centre Art Class
Exhibition at the Lochgelly Centre,
Gallery, Lochgelly, Fife; Mon to Fri
9 to 10pm (ends today).
Lowick House Prints: Work by artists using the workshop at Lowick House, Cumbria, at the MacRobert Arts Centre, theatre foyer and coffee bar, University of Stirling, Central Scotland, Mon to Sat 11 to 5 (ends

Exhibitions in progress Disablement income group schools Christmas card design exhibition at the Coolfrith Gallery. Sunderland Arts Centre, 17 Gran Terrace, Stockton Road

hand; Tues to Sat 10 to 6, Thurs 10 to 9 (ends Nov 22). London Pro Musica, Warwick University Arts Centre, Coventry 8. Talks, lectures

Design in the Home, by J. Calder Royal Scottish Museum, Chambers Street, Edinburgh, 2. Schubert's Chamber Music, by Robert Inglis, Stevenson Hall, Glasgow, 2.

Parliament today Commons (2.30): Debate on Government motion on decision on

> COMPUTER COMPETITION WEEK SEVEN DAY 8

# Nature notes

Goldcrests and firecrests, though they weigh little more than 10 grams, are crossing the North Sea to winter in Britain. The firecrests stay mostly along the South and East coasts: they can be distinguished from goldcrests by the black and white eyestripe under the gold crown. Kestrels from the Continent are also swelling the numbers of native birds. They swoop up almost vertically on to a branch, as they since the tail becomes conspicuous -male Kestrels have blue tails with a

females have barred Leaves are falling faster. They lie thick under the sycamores and the Norway maples, and the first leathery plane leaves are coming unkempt with their large leaves in are colourful, with purple leaves and bright pink berries splitting open to reveal orange seeds. Many flowers linger in skimpy patches: ragwort scentiess mayweed, yarrow, yellow

DJM

### Anniversaries

Births: John Evelyn, diarist Wotton, Surrey, 1620; Jan Vermeer, Delft, 1632; John Keats, London, 1795; Aleksandr Borodin, (new style Nov 12), St Petersburg (Leningrad), 1833; Chiang Kal-Shek, ruler of China 1928-49. Chekiang, 1887. Today is All Hallow's Eve, when tural forces are said to be a arge. A favourite custom in the p was to place two nuts side by side on the fire grate to represent a girl and her suitor, if one cracked then one of the lovers would be untrue, if the blazed then they would be married. Another amusement was biting Another amu

### The pound

Switzerland Fr

	Bank	Benl
	Buys	Sell
Anstralia \$	1.69	1.6
Amstria Sch	28.65	27.0
Belgium Fr	83.90	79.60
Camada \$	1.90	1.83
Demuzek Kr	14.64	13.94
Finland Mikk	8.78	8.3
France Fr	. 12.25	. 11.75
Germany DM	4.04	3.8
Greece Dr	157.80	149.00
Hongkong S	11.90	113
Ireland Pt	1.30	1.2
Italy Lira	2460.00	
Japan Yez	365.80	347.0
Netherlands Gld	4.55	4.3
Norway Kr	11.46	10.8
Portugal Esc	200.00	187.0
South Africa Rd	1.78	1.6
Spein Ptu	235.00	226.0

217.00 202.00

3.29

1.65 226.00

11.50 3.12

Retail Price Index: 339.5 London: The FF Index closed down 2.9 on Friday at 691.1. New York: The Dow industrial average closed 18.59 on Friday at 1223,48.

Midlands: M6: Northbound exit sip road at junction 2 (M69) closed, and contraflow on southbound carriageway: northbound entry slip road from M69 restricted. A34: Roadworks at junction with B4086, Stratford, Warwickshire. M6: All traffic sharing one side of motorway between junction 10 (Walsall and junction 11 (Cannock); expect delays. Wales and West: A38: Traffic

restrictions in Bristol Road, Gioucester. A358: One lane on Taunion to Ilminster road at Blackbrook roundahout, Somerset, A449: Contraflow at Gibraltar Tunnel, Gwent, unction with A40, Monmouth to Abergavenny Road. North: A6: Roadworks at Chapel en le Frith, Derbyshire; delays. A34: Delays in Wilmslow Road, Hand

forth, Cheshire. A66: Single lane at Bridge at Eden Lodge, Kirkby Thore, near Appleby; temporary junction 2 (A71, Kilmarnock). A90: Contraflow on northbound carriageway, Forth Road bridge; only one lane off peak; allow extra time. A77: Lane closures at junction with AB730, north-east of Prestwick,

# Ayrshire. Information supplied by AA.

**Bond winners** wining numbers in the westly draw for Premium Bond prizes are: £100;000: 14TN952622 (The winner comes from Dyffed); £50,000: 8AW208819 (Suffolk); £25,000: 22AT975190 (Berkshire). Bald tyres ...

# pattern of tytes must be visible around the whole circumference and tread width. Any sign of "baldness" could result in a fine of

Under new legislation which comes into force tomorow, the tread

... and faulty lights nonth-long vehicle lighting cam-paign tomorrow. Offences of bulb failure will be reported, but no action will be taken if the defective vehicle is taken into a regional police station within five days, with all lights working.

### The Papers

The British have provided a strange sideshow to last week's events in Grenada, The Sanday Times said. In a part of the world where we have extensive political and commercial ties and expensive diplomatic connexions, it is by no means clear that we knew what was really happening. When we did have an inkling we were not sure what to do. And when we did make up our minds, we found ourselves imable to state it strongly to anyone until it was too late. The lessons of the Falklands, it seems, are not casily learnt in Whitchall people of Granada, to the Common-wealth and to the Western Alliance

- was, and still is, to lead the way back to a democratic solution, The

Observer comments,

# Weather

A ridge of high pressure over away eastwards as a trough of low pressure moves from W.

max temp 12C (54F).

E. Central N, NE England: Mainly dry, bright periods at first, wind W backing S, moderate; max temp 11C (52F).

SW, NW England, 8, N. Wales, Lake-makely max temp 12C (52F).

backing S, increasing strong or gate; max temp 10C (50F).

Argyll, HW Scotland: Cloudy, outbreaks of rain or drizzle; what S, fresh, increasing strong to gale; max temp 11C (52F). Outlook for tomorrow and Wednes-

Yesterday

the British Isles will move

### 6 am to midnight

London, SE, Central S England, East Inche E. W Midlands, Channel Anglia, E, W Midlands, Channel leands: Dry, sunny periods becoming

SW. NW Enginend, S. N. Wales, LakeDistrict. Rather cloudy, mainly dry.
outbreaks of rain or drizzle later, mostly
on exposed coasts and hills; wind W,
moderate, backing S, frash later; max
temp 12C (54F).
Isle of Man, SW Scotland, Glasgow,
Central Highlands, Moray Firth,
Northern Ireland: Cloudy, outbreaks of
rain or drizzle by afternoon; wind W,
moderate, backing S, increasing fresh or
strong, perhaps gale later; max temp
11C (52F).
Borders, Edinburgh, Dundee, Aberdeen: Dry, Sumy intervals at first,
becoming cloudy, rain in places later;
wind W, moderate, backing S,
increasing strong; max temp 11C (52F).
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Rather cloudy, showers or longer
outbreaks of rain; wind NW, moderate
backing S, increasing strong or gale;
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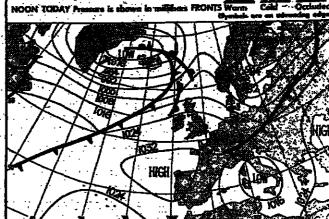
day: Changeable in the north though becoming less windy, mainly dry with surnry intervals in S; temperatures SEA PASSAGES: North Sea, English Channel (E), Strait of Dover: Wind W moderate. makiny fair; sea slight. St George's Channel Wind W to moderate or freeir; sea slight or moderate. Mish or freet; sea slight or moderate. Intel Sea:Wind SW moderate becoming fresh of strong, sea slight or moderate.

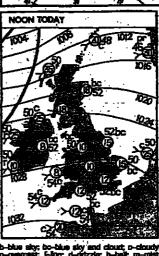
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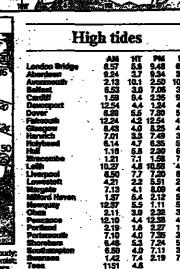
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London

Highest and Lowest Yeldenber Highest day temp: Dyce 18C (61F); towart day may, Anal Green 6C (43F); highest patrials Larwick -0.59 in; highest horseline; Deen 6.5 in







**Around Britain** Sun Finite Max ins in C F 2.8 - 12 54 Bright - 13 85 Coudy - 12 84 Closey - 13 55 Closey - 13 55 Closey - 13 55 Closey - 14 12 Rainpa - 15 13 55 Closey - 11 52 Closey - 11 52 Closey - 11 52 Closey - 11 152 Rainpa 1.1 54 Cloudy 48 Cloudy 48 Cloudy 46 Cloudy 46 Cloudy 46 Beginter 46 Beginter

Abroad

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